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Commerce, Department of (East Block, Canberra, 551; Melbourne Office, 419 Collins-street, Central 2773): E. J. Mulvany, I.S.O., Secretary; J. F. Murphy, Assistant Secretary.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia (Head Office, cr. Martin-place and Pitt-st., Sydney, B.0355. Melbourne Office, 367 Collins-st., Central 4952. Note Printing Branch, cr. Young-st. and Victoria-pde., Fitzroy, Victoria, J.1196): Governor: E. C. Riddle. Board of Directors: Sir Robert Gibson, G.B.E.(a), Chairman; R. S. Drummond (b); M. B. Duffy (c); J. Mackenzie Lees (d); R. B. McComas (e); C. H. Reading (f); H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E., (Secretary to the Treasury) (g); E. C. Riddle (Governor) (g).

Term expires.—(a) 10.10.37, (b) 10.10.34, (c) 12.9.37, (d) 10.10.33, (e) 10.10.35, (f) 13.1.39. (g) *Ex-officio* members.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Commonwealth Employees' Compensation (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra 531): Commissioner, the Secretary to the Treasury; Delegate of the Commissioner, J. T. Heather-shaw, C.B.E.

Crown Solicitor (West Block Canberra, 531): W. H. Sharwood.

Customs, Department of Trade and (East Block, Canberra, 551) Comptroller-General, E. T. Hall, C.B.E.; Deputy Comptroller-General, E. Abbott, C.B.E.; *Collectors*: N.S.W., G. F. A. Mitchell; Vic., M. B. Synan; Q'land., R. B. Curd; S.A., M. J. Naughton; W.A., H. St. G. Bird; Tas., E. A. J. Benjafield.

Dairy Produce Control Board (528 Collins-st., Melbourne, Central 1576): Chairman, T. F. Plunkett; Secretary, A. T. Owens.

Defence Department (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-rd., Melbourne, Central 4780): *Secretary*, M. L. Shepherd, I.S.O.; *Assistant Secretary*, M. M. Maguire, O.B.E. *Naval Board*: President, Minister for Defence; 1st Naval Member, Rear-Admiral G. F. Hyde C.V.O., C.B.E.; 2nd Naval Member, Captain C. A. M. Sarel, O.B.E., R.N.; Finance and Civil Member, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E. *Rear-Admiral Commanding Australian Squadron*, Rear-Admiral R. C. Dalglish, C.B. *Military Board*: Chief of General Staff and 1st Military Member, Major-General J. H. Bruche, C.B., C.M.G.; Adjutant-General, Major-General T. H. Dodds, C.M.G., C.V.O., D.S.O.; Quartermaster-General, Brig. F. B. Heritage, C.B.E., M.V.O.; Finance Member, Lieut.-Col. T. W. Jolliffe, C.M.G. *Inspector-General of the Military Forces* (Vacant). *Air Board*: Chief of the Air Staff, Air Commodore S. J. Goble, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.S.C.,; Air Member for Personnel, Group Captain W. H. Anderson, D.F.C.; Air

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Member for Supply, Wing Commander A. T. Cole, M.C., D.F.C.; Finance Member, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E. *Controller of Civil Aviation*: Capt. E. C. Johnston, D.F.C. *Defence Committee*: Chief of General Staff, Major-General J. H. Bruche, C.B., C.M.G.; Chief of Naval Staff, Rear-Admiral G. F. Hyde, C.V.O., C.B.E.; Chief of Air Staff, Air Commodore S. J. Goble, C.B.E., D.S.O., D.S.C.; Finance Secretary, Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E.; Secretary, P. E. Coleman, O.B.E. (Acting).

Dried Fruits Control Board (100 Queen-street, Melbourne, Central 1312): Chairman, W. C. F. Thomas, C.B.E.; Secretary, R. A. Marx.

Electoral Office (Commonwealth), *Chief Electoral Officer* (City, Canberra, 981): F. J. Quinlan, F.C.I.S.

Executive Council, Federal (West Block, Canberra): Secretary, J. H. Starling, C.M.G., O.B.E.

Expropriated Property, Custodian of, Public Trustee, and Controller of Clearing Office (*Enemy Debts*) (Department of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): W. C. Thomas Dip.Com., L.I.C.A.

Film Censorship (Watson House, Bligh-street, Sydney, B.1517): Chief Censor, W. C. O'Reilly; Appeal Censor, Brig.-Gen. I. G. Mackay, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A.

Forests, Inspector-General of (C'wealth Forestry Bureau, Westridge, Canberra, 766): C. E. Lane-Poole, Dip. For. Nancy.

Geological Adviser (City, Canberra 982): W. G. Woolnough. D.Sc., F.G.S.

Health, Department of (City, Canberra, 945): Director-General of Health, Dr. J. H. L. Cumpston, C.M.G., M.D., D.P.H.: *Commonwealth Serum Laboratories* (Royal Park, N.2.):

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

- Director, F. G. Morgan, M.B., B.S. : *School of Public Health and Tropical Medicine* (University of Sydney, Sydney) : Director, Professor Harvey Sutton, O.B.E., M.D., B.Sc., D.P.H.
- High Court of Australia* (High Court Offices, Law Courts'-place, Melbourne, Central 5175). (See page 15.)
- Historic Memorials Committee* (Canberra) : Chairman, The Prime Minister of the Commonwealth.
- Industrial Registrar* (468 Lonsdale-street, Melbourne. Central 5176, 6005). (See page 16.)
- Interior, Dept. of the* (Acton, Canberra, 511) : Secretary, H. C. Brown ; Assistant Secretary, Property and Survey, A. Percival, L.S., C.E., M.V.I.E. ; Assistant Secretary, Works and Services, P. A. Gourgaud ; Assistant Secretary, Civic Representative, C. S. Daley, O.B.E., B.A. ; *Works Directors* : N.S.W., C. H. U. Todd, M.I.A. ; Vic., H. J. Mackennal, F.R.V.I.A. ; Q'land., J. Orwin ; S.A., H. M. Rolland, O.B.E., F.R.V.I.A. ; W.A., G. S. Cook, M.I.A.
- Investigation Branch* (East Block, Canberra, B.098) : Director, H. E. Jones, O.B.E.
- Land Tax Valuation Board* : W. J. Lambert (Chairman).
- Literary Fund, Commonwealth* (Dept. of the Interior, Canberra) : Committee, S. Talbot Smith, M.A., LL.B., Chairman ; Prof. R. S. Wallace, M.A., LL.D. ; Prof. W. A. Osborne, M.B., B.Ch., D.Sc. ; Secretary, J. O'Callaghan.
- Marine Branch* (35 Wills-street, Melbourne, F.4191) : Secretary, L. F. East ; Director of Navigation, Captain J. K. Davis ; Director of Lighthouses and Engineer in Chief, M. W. Mehaffey, B.E., A.M.I.C.E.
- Meteorologist, Commonwealth* (cr. Drummond and Victoria streets, Carlton, Victoria, F.2676) : W. S. Watt.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Munitions Supply Board (Victoria Barracks, St. Kilda-road, Melbourne, Central 4780): A. E. Leighton, F.I.C. (Controller-General); Col. T. J. Thomas, O.B.E.; M. M. Maguire, O.B.E.

Naval Board (see Defence Department).

New Guinea Trade Agent (C'wealth Bank Chambers, Pitt-street, Sydney): R. W. Hamilton (Accountant, C'wealth Sub-Treasury, Sydney).

Parliamentary Staff, Federal (Commonwealth Parliament). (See page 15.)

Patents, Commissioner of, and Registrar of Trade Marks and Designs and Registrar of Copyrights (Acton, Canberra, 571): B. Wallach, B.E.

Pensions, Invalid and Old-age, and Maternity Allowances—Commissioner (Dept. of the Treasury, West Block, Canberra, 531): J. T. Heathershaw, C.B.E.; *Assistant Commissioner*, A. Metford; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., H. Theggie; Vic., W. McPherson; Qld., T. A. Maguire; S.A., M. D. Mears; W.A., O. G. Dutton; Tas., C. F. M. Travers.

Phosphate Commission, British (Henty House, Lit. Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 10294): C. McPherson, C.B.E. (Australia), T. Lodge, C.B. (United Kingdom), A. F. Ellis (New Zealand).

Postmaster-General's Department (C'wealth Offices Treasury Gardens, Melbourne, Central 5551): *Director-General*, H. P. Brown, M.B.E., M.I.E.E.; *Deputy Directors*: N.S.W., J. W. Kitto; Vic., R. Lawson; Q'land., A. B. Corbett; S.A., E. P. Ramsay; W.A., S. R. H. Roberts; Tas., J. E. Monfries.

Prime Minister's Department and External Affairs Department (West Block, Canberra, 531): *Secretary*, J. H. Starling, C.M.G., O.B.E.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Printer, Government (Kingston, Canberra, B.040):
L. F. Johnston.

Public Service Board (City, Canberra, 561 and 948):
Commissioner: W. J. Clemens, I.S.O.; *Assistant Commissioner*: F. G. Thorpe; *Secretary*, H. A. Earl; *State Inspectors*: N.S.W., J. S. Duncan; Vic., H. McTaggart; Q'land., R. Anthony; S.A., G. E. Wilson; W.A., C. H. Brown; Tas. (Deputy), C. F. M. Travers.

Railways, C'wealth (623 Collins-street, Melbourne, Central 4586): *Commissioner*, G. A. Gahan; *Secretary*, E. Simms.

Repatriation Commission (C'wealth Offices, 315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 8464): Col. J. M. Semmens, O.B.E., V.D. (Chairman); Col. L. E. Tilney, D.S.O., V.D.; Major M. B. Ryan; *Secretary*, Capt. C. B. Smith; *Deputy Commissioners*: N.S.W., Major J. E. Barrett; Vic., J. C. McPhee; Q'land., F. H. Rowe; S.A., Capt. J. W. Bell; W.A., C. Taylor; Tas., Lieut.-Col. J. F. Humphris, D.S.O., V.D.; *War Pensions Assessment Appeal Tribunals*: No. 1—N. R. Mighell (Chairman) and two doctors; No. 2—H. H. Howard, LL.B. (Chairman) and two doctors; *War Pensions Entitlement Appeal Tribunal*: Lieut.-Col. A. W. Ralston, C.M.G., D.S.O., V.D., B.A., LL.B. (Chairman), Lieut.-Col. E. J. Dibdin, D.S.O., V.D., P. E. Deane, C.M.G.

Research, Scientific and Industrial, Council for (314 Albert-st., East Melbourne, J.4171)—*Executive Committee*: Sir G. A. Julius, K.B., B.Sc., B.E., Chairman; A. C. D. Rivett, M.A., D.Sc., Deputy Chairman and Chief Executive Officer; Prof. A. E. V. Richardson, M.A., D.Sc.; *Chairmen of State Committees*: N.S.W., Prof. R. D. Watt, M.A., B.Sc.; Vic., W. R. Grimwade, B.Sc.; Q'land., Prof. H. C. Richards, D.Sc.; S.A.,

Principal Commonwealth Officials—continued.

Sir Walter J. Young, K.B.E. ; W.A., B. Perry ; Tas., P. E. Keam. Co-opted Members ; Prof. E. J. Goddard., B.A., D.Sc. ; Prof. H. A. Woodruff, M.R.C.V.S., &c. ; *Secretary* : G. Lightfoot, M.A. ; *Chiefs of Divisions* : Plant Industry, B. T. Dickson, B.Sc., B.A., Ph.D. ; Economic Entomology, R. J. Tillyard, D.Sc., F.R.S. ; Animal Nutrition, Sir Charles J. Martin, Kt., C.M.G., F.R.S., &c. ; Animal Health, J. A. Gilruth, D.V.Sc., M.R.C.V.S. ; Soils, Prof. J. A. Prescott, M.Sc. ; Forests Products, I. H. Boas, M.Sc.

River Murray Commission (Dept. of the Interior, Acton, Canberra) : Members, The Hon. J. A. Perkins, M.P. (President) ; T. Hill, O.B.E., M.V.I.E., M.I.E. Aust. (Deputy Commissioner) ; H. H. Dare, M.E., M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E., Aust. ; R. H. Horsfield, M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E. Aust. ; J. H. O. Eaton, M.Inst.C.E., M.I.E. Aust. ; *Secretary*, D. P. Israel.

Solar Observatory (Mount Stromlo, Canberra, 731, 740) : Officer-in-Charge, W. B. Rimmer, M.Sc., B.E., D.I.C., A.M.I.C.E.

Statistician, C'wealth (West Block, Canberra, 581) : E. T. McPhee ; *Deputy Statistician* (Tas.), H. J. Exley, M.A., F.S.S.

Stores Supply and Tender Board (G.P.O. Buildings, Spencer-street, Melbourne, Central 9470) : Chief Inspector, Stores and Transport, G. H. Thomas.

Superannuation Fund Management Board (City, Canberra, 561) : P. Rees (Chairman) ; B. Latham, A.I.A. ; M. J. D. Page.

Tariff Board (a) (Commonwealth Offices, Treasury Gardens, Melbourne, Central 5551) : H. McConaghy (Chairman) ; H. E. Guy ; A. D. J. Forster ; W. S. Kelly ; *Secretary*, A. H. Wilson.
(a) Appointed to 20.3.35.

Principal Commonwealth Officials—*continued.*

Taxation Office: Commissioner, R. Ewing, C.M.G. (Administrative Section, West Block, Canberra, 531); Second Commissioner, H. B. Templeton (Post Office Bldgs., cr. Elizabeth and Bourke streets, Melbourne, Central 9370); Deputy Commissioners: Administrative, H. H. Trebilco; R. R. Gibson, Sales Tax; Central, J. Adams; N.S.W., L. S. Jackson; Q'land, A. D. B. Rowley; S.A., M. D. Mears; W.A., E. A. Black; Tas., P. C. Douglas; N. Terr., J. Blott.

Taxation Board of Review: T. S. Hulme (Chairman); J. P. Hannan, LL.B.; R. M. Lightband.

Treasury (West Block, Canberra, 531): Secretary, H. J. Sheehan, C.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, Administrative, S. G. McFarlane, C.M.G.; Assistant Secretary, Pensions, &c., J. T. Heathershaw, C.B.E.; Assistant Secretary, Finance, A. C. Joyce. *Sub-Treasuries — Accountants*: New South Wales, R. W. Hamilton; Victoria, W. T. Harris; Queensland, T. R. Evans; South Australia, J. J. Kitson; Western Australia, R. G. Friel; Tasmania, P. C. Douglas.

War Memorial (Australian) Director (Exhibition Bldgs., Melbourne, F.2598): J. L. Treloar, O.B.E.

War Pensions Appeal Tribunals (See Repatriation Commission).

War Service Homes Commissioner (315 Post Office-place, Melbourne, Central 3271): C. W. Peterson.

Wine Overseas Marketing Board (23 Waymouth-street, Adelaide): Chairman, J. W. Sandford; Secretary, H. J. Finnis.

Works Directors (See Department of the Interior).

GOVERNMENTS.(a)

NEW SOUTH WALES.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY AIR VICE-MARSHAL
THE HON. SIR PHILIP WOOLCOTT GAME,
G.B.E., K.C.B., D.S.O.

MINISTRY (16th May, 1932):

Premier and Colonial Treasurer :

HON. B. S. B. STEVENS.

Deputy Premier and Minister for Transport :

LIEUT.-COL. THE HON. M. F. BRUXNER, D.S.O.

Secretary for Public Works and Minister for Health :

HON. R. W. D. WEAVER.

Attorney-General and Vice-President of the Executive Council :

HON. H. E. MANNING, K.C., M.L.C.(b).

Secretary for Lands :

HON. E. A. BUTTENSCHAW.

Colonial Secretary :

CAPT. THE HON. F. A. CHAFFEY.

Minister for Education :

HON. D. H. DRUMMOND.

Minister for Labour and Industry :

HON. J. M. DUNNINGHAM.

Minister for Agriculture :

HON. H. MAIN.

(a) Dates of swearing in of original Ministers are given in parentheses.

(b) Sworn in on the 18th June.

GOVERNMENT—NEW SOUTH WALES—contd.*Assistant Minister in the Legislative Council :*

HON. J. RYAN, M.L.C.

Assistant Treasurer and Minister for Local Government :

HON. E. S. SPOONER.(b)

Secretary for Mines and Minister for Forests :

HON. R. S. VINCENT.(b)

Minister of Justice :

HON. J. O. MARTIN.(b)

Honorary Minister assisting the Minister for Labour and Industry :

HON. H. M. HAWKINS, M.L.C.(b)

Honorary Minister without Portfolio :

HON. H. P. FITZSIMONS.(c)

(b) Sworn in on the 18th June, 1932.

(c) Sworn in on the 15th February, 1933.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA.**LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR :**HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIR WILLIAM
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HON. SIR S. S. ARGYLE, K.B.E.

Chief Secretary, and Minister in Charge of Electrical Undertakings :

HON. I. MACFARLAN.

GOVERNMENT—VICTORIA—*continued.*

Attorney-General, Solicitor-General, and Minister of Railways, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. R. G. MENZIES, K.C.

Minister of Agriculture, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. J. ALLAN.

President of the Board of Land and Works, Commissioner of Crown Lands and Survey, and Minister of Forests :

HON. A. A. DUNSTAN.

Minister of Public Instruction :

HON. J. W. PENNINGTON, C.B.E.

Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Mines, Minister in Charge of Immigration, and a Vice-President of the Board of Land and Works :

HON. J. P. JONES, M.L.C.

Minister of Water Supply and Minister of Labour :

HON. G. L. GOUDIE, M.L.C.

Ministers without Portfolio :

COL. THE HON. H. E. COHEN, C.M.G., D.S.O.,
V.D., M.L.C.

HON. A. E. CHANDLER, M.L.C.

HON. W. S. KENT-HUGHES.

HON. T. C. MANIFOLD.

GOVERNMENT—QUEENSLAND.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY LIEUTENANT-COLONEL
THE RT. HON. SIR LESLIE ORME
WILSON, P.C., G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., C.M.G.,
D.S.O.

MINISTRY (17th June, 1932) :

*Premier, Chief Secretary, Treasurer, and Vice-
President of the Executive Council :*

HON. W. FORGAN SMITH.

Secretary for Public Lands :

HON. P. PEASE.

Attorney-General :

HON. J. MULLAN.

Home Secretary :

HON. E. M. HANLON.

Secretary for Labour and Industry :

HON. M. P. HYNES.

Minister for Transport :

HON. J. DASH.

Secretary for Mines :

HON. J. STOPFORD.

Secretary for Public Instruction :

HON. F. A. COOPER.

Secretary for Agriculture and Stock :

HON. F. W. BULCOCK.

Secretary for Public Works :

HON. H. A. BRUCE.

GOVERNMENT—SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY BRIGADIER-GENERAL
THE HON. SIR ALEXANDER GORE
ARKWRIGHT HORE-RUTHVEN, V.C.,
K.C.M.G., C.B., D.S.O.

MINISTRY (18th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer, and Minister of Immigration :

HON. R. L. BUTLER.

*Chief Secretary, Minister of Mines, and Minister of
Afforestation :*

HON. G. RITCHIE, M.L.C.

*Attorney-General, Minister of Education, and Minister
of Industry and Employment.*

HON. S. W. JEFFRIES.

*Commissioner of Crown Lands, Minister of Repatria-
tion, and Minister of Irrigation :*

HON. M. MCINTOSH.

*Commissioner of Public Works, Minister of Railways,
and Minister of Marine :*

HON. H. S. HUDD, M.C.

*Minister of Agriculture and Minister of Local
Government :*

HON. A. P. BLESING, M.L.C.

GOVERNMENT—WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIR JAMES
MITCHELL, K.C.M.G.

MINISTRY (24th April, 1933) :

Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Forests :

HON. P. COLLIER.

*Minister for Public Works, Labour and Water
Supplies :*

HON. A. MCCALLUM.

Minister for Justice, Railways and Education :

HON. J. C. WILLCOCK.

Chief Secretary :

HON. J. M. DREW, M.L.C.

Minister for Mines and Health :

HON. S. W. MUNSIE.

Minister for Lands and Immigration :

HON. M. F. TROY.

Minister for Agriculture and the North West :

HON. H. MILLINGTON.

*Minister for Employment and Industrial
Development :*

HON. J. J. KENNEALLY.

Minister without Portfolio :

HON. W. H. KITSON, M.L.C.

GOVERNMENT—TASMANIA.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR :

HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIR ERNEST
CLARK, K.C.B., C.B.E.

MINISTRY (15th June, 1928) :

*Premier, Treasurer, and Minister for Forestry and
Agriculture :*

HON. J. C. MCPHEE.

Chief Secretary and Minister for Railways and Mines :

HON. C. E. W. JAMES.

Attorney-General and Minister for Education :

HON. H. S. BAKER.

*Minister of Lands, Works, and Closer and Soldier
Settlement :*

HON. SIR. W. H. LEE, K.C.M.G.

Ministers without Portfolio :

HON. A. L. WARDLAW, M.L.C.

HON. E. HOBBS.

I.—AREA AND POPULATION.

NOTE.—Population figures for years following the Census year of 1921 are substantially correct for Commonwealth and State totals, but figures for divisions of States, distribution by age, &c., should be interpreted with a fairly wide margin for error.

State or Territory.(a)	Year of Formation into Separate Colony or Territory.	Present Area in Square Miles.	Population. 30th June, 1933.(b)	
			Pre-censal Estimate.	Preliminary Census Count.
N.S.W.	1786	309,432	2,546,400	2,600,428
Vic. ..	1851	87,884	1,817,800	1,818,080
Q'ld. ..	1859	670,500	986,000	945,565
S.A. ..	1834	380,070	589,100	580,849
W.A. ..	1829	975,920	425,200	438,113
Tas. ..	1825	26,215	222,300	227,473
N. Ter.	1863(c)	523,620	4,300	4,300
F.C.T.	1911	940	8,900	8,946
Total	..	2,974,581	6,600,000	6,623,754

(a) The six States with their included Territories were federated under the name "Commonwealth of Australia" on the 1st January, 1901.

(b) Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.

(c) Transferred to Commonwealth in 1911.

2.—METROPOLITAN POPULATION—AUSTRALIA AND OTHER COUNTRIES.

Metropolis.	Year.	Popula- tion.	Percentage on Total of Country.
Canberra (Fed. Cap.)	31st Dec., 1932	7,200	0.11
Sydney (N.S.W.)		1,262,440	49.70
Melbourne (Vic.)		1,028,300	56.80
Brisbane (Qld.)		334,000	34.24
Adelaide (S.A.)		326,032	55.50
Perth (W.A.)		208,500	49.27
Hobart (Tas.)		58,750	26.10
Total of above ..	..	3,225,222	49.05
Wellington (N.Z.)	1932	144,800	9.50
Amsterdam (N'lands)	1931	766,263	9.50
Athens (Greece) ..	1931	473,200	7.30
Berlin (Germany)	1931	4,126,000	6.37
Brussels (Belgium)	1931	834,522	10.23
Budapest (b) (H'gry)	1930	1,006,184	11.58
Capetown (S.A'a) (c)	1931	150,914	8.25
Copenhagen (D'mk)	1930	771,168	21.72
Dublin (Irish F. St.)	1932	415,900	13.99
Edinburgh (Scot'nd)	1932	445,300	9.12
Lisbon (Portugal)	1930	594,390	8.93
London (a) (Eng'nd)	1932	4,357,800	10.84
Madrid (Spain) ..	1931	896,511	3.79
Moscow (Russia) ..	1930	2,781,300	1.73
New York (N.Y.St.)	1930	6,930,446	55.06
Ottawa (Canada)	1931	126,872	1.22
Paris (France) ..	1931	2,891,020	6.91
Prague (Cz'slovakia)	1930	848,081	5.76
Rome (Italy) ..	1931	1,008,083	2.45
Stockholm (Sw'd'n)	1931	514,333	8.35
Tokio (Japan) ..	1930	2,070,529	3.21
Vienna (Austria) ..	1930	1,865,780	24.16
Washington (U.S.A.)	1930	486,869	0.40

(a) Greater London, 8,302,329. (b) 1,011,997 on 31st December, 1931. (c) European population.

3.—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Heading.		1921.	1931.	1932.
Population at 31st Dec. (,000 omitted.)	Males	2,799	3,324	3,347
	Fem.	2,710	3,202	3,228
	Total	5,509	6,526	6,575
Births	Males	70,039	61,021	56,975
	Fem.	66,159	57,488	53,958
	Total	136,198	118,509	110,933
	Rate <i>a</i>	24.95	18.23	16.94
Marriages	No.	46,869	38,882	43,634
	Rate <i>a</i>	8.59	5.98	6.66
Deaths	Males	30,652	31,796	31,860
	Fem.	23,424	24,764	24,897
	Total	54,076	56,560	56,757
	Rate <i>a</i>	9.91	8.70	8.66
Deaths of Child'n under one Year	Males	5,111	2,889	2,619
	Fem.	3,841	2,103	1,962
	Total	8,952	4,992	4,581
	Rate <i>b</i>	65.73	42.12	41.30
Natural Increase		82,122	61,949	54,176
Rate of Natural In- crease (<i>a</i>)..		15.05	9.53	8.28

(*a*) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (*b*)
Number per 1,000 births.

4.—VITAL STATISTICS—STATE AND METROPOLITAN RATES, 1932.

State or Metropolis.	Birth.(a)	Death.(a)	Infant Mortality.(b)	Natural Increase.(a)	Net Im- migration.(c)	Total Increase.(c)
State—						
N.S.W. ...	17.7	8.4	41.0	9.3	-0.0	0.9
Vic. ..	15.2	9.3	43.0	5.9	-0.1	0.5
Qld. ..	17.9	8.0	40.2	9.8	0.2	1.2
S.A. ..	14.5	8.5	36.6	6.1	-0.2	0.4
W.A. ..	18.8	8.8	44.6	10.1	-0.6	0.4
Tas. ..	20.2	9.1	41.2	11.1	-0.3	0.8
Metropoli- tan—						
Sydney ..	14.0	8.7	39.0	5.3	0.0	0.5
Melbourne	12.8	9.4	47.7	3.4	-0.5	-0.2
Brisbane	13.2	8.3	50.0	4.9	4.7	5.2
Adelaide	11.8	9.3	38.7	2.5	0.2	0.5
Perth ..	16.5	9.9	47.5	6.6	-1.3	-0.6
Hobart ..	16.7	11.0	48.8	5.7	-0.3	0.3

(a) Number per 1,000 of mean population. (b) Number per 1,000 births. (c) Per cent. per annum of mean population.

5.—ESTIMATED MIGRATION—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.
Arrivals—					
Males ..	55,921	44,508	33,881	21,986	22,637
Females..	43,871	37,740	29,212	18,428	19,360
Persons(a)	99,792	82,248	63,093	40,414	41,997
Departures—					
Males ..	40,216	40,596	41,877	31,015	25,402
Females..	32,344	32,689	32,624	21,460	21,438
Persons (b)	72,560	73,285	74,501	52,475	46,840
Excess of (a) over (b)	27,232	8,963	-11,408	-12,061	-4,843

6.—NOMINATED AND SELECTED IMMIGRANTS
WHO ARRIVED IN AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1928.	1929.	1930.	1931.	1932.
Nominated—					
Males ..	7,635	4,208	869	71	23
Females..	8,775	4,973	1,143	124	38
Persons ..	16,410	9,181	2,012	195	61
Selected—					
Males ..	4,155	2,556	339	40	58
Females..	1,829	1,206	332	40	56
Persons ..	5,984	3,762	671	80	114
Total ..	22,394	12,943	2,683	275	175

7.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE, AUSTRALIA.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1931.	1932.	1931.	1932.
British ..	32,868	35,020	40,023	37,977
Danish ..	65	44	92	56
Dutch ..	84	114	109	96
Finnish ..	17	9	56	35
French ..	652	540	696	496
German ..	298	252	294	215
Greek ..	163	192	584	296
Italian ..	973	1,147	2,073	1,302
Maltese (British)	36	45	122	123
Norwegian ..	38	17	60	31
Russian ..	85	73	125	88
Swedish ..	50	42	68	49
Swiss ..	96	60	151	96
United States ..	774	769	1,013	823
Yugoslav ..	270	219	571	287
Other White ..	305	329	515	324
Total, White Nationalities or Races ..	36,774	38,872	46,552	42,294

7.—MIGRATION—NATIONALITY OR RACE, AUSTRALIA—*continued.*

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	Year.		Year.	
	1931.	1932.	1931.	1932.
Chinese ..	2,308	1,800	2,809	2,129
Filipinos ..	10	4	8	6
Japanese ..	178	360	677	320
Malays ..	13	80	42	23
Natives of East Indies ..	187	85	227	183
Natives of India and Ceylon ..	520	350	426	326
Syrians ..	41	29	28	25
Other Asiatics ..	14	20	72	59
Papuans ..	253	280	341	249
Polynesians, Me- lanesians ..	111	103	63	41
Other Coloured	5	14	19	11
Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races ..	3,640	3,125	4,692	3,372
Allowance for unrecorded de- partures ..	..	..	1,231	1,174
TOTAL, ALL NA- TIONALITIES OR RACES ..	40,414	41,997	52,475	46,840

8.—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 4th APRIL, 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Particu- lars.	Males.	Females.	Total.	% on Total
Urban— Metro- politan	1,114,606	1,223,473	2,338,079	43.01
Provin- cial ..	510,131	527,337	1,037,468	19.09
Rural ..	1,112,768	917,654	2,030,422	37.35
Migratory	25,365	4,400	29,765	0.55
Total ..	2,762,870	2,672,864	5,435,734	100.00

9.—URBAN AND RURAL POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, 1911 AND 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Particu- lars.	Census of 1911.	Census of 1921.	Increase during 10 years.	Increase per cent. during 10 years.
Urban— Metro- politan	1,694,329	2,338,079	643,750	37.99
Provin- cial ..	866,437	1,037,468	171,031	19.74
Rural ..	1,867,003	2,030,422	163,419	8.75
Migratory	27,236	29,765	2,529	9.29
Total ..	4,455,005	5,435,734	980,729	22.01

10.—AGES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA, CENSUS OF 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Age Last Birthday.	4th April, 1921.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.
0-4 ..	305,522	294,684	600,206
5-9 ..	301,573	294,185	595,758
10-14 ..	268,003	261,037	529,040
15-19 ..	234,937	229,280	464,217
20-24 ..	220,744	233,283	454,027
25-29 ..	225,449	237,000	462,449
30-34 ..	227,830	221,492	449,322
35-39 ..	197,188	189,944	387,132
40-44 ..	170,296	161,222	331,518
45-49 ..	144,819	135,658	280,477
50-54 ..	136,150	119,916	256,066
55-59 ..	116,368	99,546	215,914
60-64 ..	90,655	78,687	169,342
65-69 ..	56,112	48,886	104,998
70-74 ..	33,371	31,819	65,190
75-79 ..	19,603	20,415	40,018
80-84 ..	9,585	10,362	19,947
85-89 ..	3,634	4,216	7,850
90-94 ..	880	1,061	1,941
95-99 ..	126	160	286
100 and over ..	25	11	36
Total ..	2,762,870	2,672,864	5,435,734
6-13 ..	457,544	446,826	904,370
14-20 ..	332,005	325,815	657,820
21-64 ..	1,476,583	1,424,158	2,900,741
65 and over ..	122,841	116,555	239,396

II.—AGES OF POPULATION—AUSTRALIA, 1932.^a

(BASED ON PROJECTION OF TABLE 10.)

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Age Last Birthday.	31st December, 1932.		
	Males.	Females.	Persons.
0-4 ..	314,738	303,474	618,212
5-9 ..	324,975	315,723	640,698
10-14 ..	307,161	298,373	605,534
15-19 ..	315,809	305,075	620,884
20-24 ..	292,362	271,369	563,731
25-29 ..	268,762	242,430	511,192
30-34 ..	244,294	241,888	486,182
35-39 ..	239,525	243,431	482,956
40-44 ..	231,253	223,488	454,741
45-49 ..	196,913	189,217	386,130
50-54 ..	162,934	157,692	320,626
55-59 ..	133,692	129,955	263,647
60-64 ..	115,405	109,024	224,429
65-69 ..	91,146	86,730	177,876
70-74 ..	60,768	59,542	120,310
75-79 ..	30,327	30,639	60,966
80-84 ..	11,643	13,867	25,510
85-89 ..	3,815	5,269	9,084
90-94 ..	944	1,240	2,184
95-99 ..	151	174	325
100 and over ..	20	16	36
Total ..	3,346,637	3,228,616	6,575,253
6-13 ..	505,793	491,967	997,760
14-20 ..	438,579	422,516	861,095
21-64 ..	1,824,630	1,751,513	3,576,143
65 and over ..	198,815	197,478	396,293

(a) Estimate, subject to amendment when complete results are available for Census of 30th June, 1933.

12.—POPULATION ACCORDING TO RACE— AUSTRALIA, CENSUS OF 1911 AND 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Race.	Census, 3.4.1911.	Census 4.4.1921.	Increase (a) during Ten Years 1911-1921.
European Race	4,402,662	5,387,143	984,481
Non-European, Full-blood—			
Chinese ..	22,753	17,157	— 5,596
Hindu ..	3,299	2,881	— 418
Japanese ..	3,489	2,740	— 749
Malay ..	1,077	1,087	10
Polynesian ..	2,524	2,113	— 411
Syrian ..	2,339	2,892	553
Other ..	2,308	2,105	— 203
Total, full-blood	37,789	30,975	— 6,814
Half-caste—			
Australian			
Aboriginal	10,113	11,536	1,423
Chinese ..	3,019	3,669	650
Hindu ..	399	695	296
Japanese ..	87	188	101
Polynesian ..	227	349	122
Syrian ..	84	348	264
Other ..	625	831	206
Total, half-caste	14,554	17,616	3,062
Grand Total	4,455,005	5,435,734	980,729

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

13.—OCCUPATIONS OF THE POPULATION— AUSTRALIA, CENSUS OF 1911 AND 1921.

(Exclusive of full-blood Aborigines.)

Class of Occupation.	Census, 3.4.1911.	Census, 4.4.1921.	Increase (a) during Ten Years 1911-1921.
Professional ..	144,611	201,319	56,708
Domestic ..	201,366	209,971	8,605
Commercial ..	286,687	355,009	68,322
Transport and Communication	157,391	207,737	50,346
Industrial—			
Manufacturing	363,805	441,284	77,479
Building, &c. ..	111,810	122,902	11,092
Others ..	86,722	159,373	72,651
Total ..	562,337	723,559	161,222
Primary Pro- ducers—			
Agricultural ..	284,700	337,494	52,794
Pastoral ..	151,861	142,094	— 9,767
Mining and Quarrying ..	105,804	66,766	—39,038
Others ..	43,783	52,341	8,558
Total ..	586,148	598,695	12,547
Independent ..	23,055	20,426	— 2,629
Dependants ..	2,449,986	3,094,523	644,537
Unspecified ..	43,424	24,495	—18,929
Total ..	4,455,005	5,435,734	980,729

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

14.—OCCUPIED DWELLINGS CENSUS, 4th APRIL, 1921.

State or Terri- tory.	Private.	Other.	Total.	Per Private Dwelling.		
				Rooms.	Inmates.	
					1921.	1911.
N.S.W.	414,468	18,508	432,976	4.97	4.52	4.67
Vic. . .	318,926	12,354	331,290	5.11	4.34	4.58
Qld.	153,313	6,826	160,139	4.94	4.40	4.48
S.A. . .	104,295	3,619	107,914	4.90	4.34	4.62
W.A.	70,185	3,363	73,548	4.22	4.11	3.68
Tas. . .	44,432	1,386	45,818	4.80	4.44	4.59
N.T. . .	1,005	69	1,074	2.70	2.83	2.25
F.C.T.	376	150	526	4.65	4.39	3.84
Total	1,107,010	46,275	1,153,285	4.94	4.40	4.54

15.—LAND SETTLEMENT—AUSTRALIA, 1931.

,000 OMITTED.

Land—	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
Alienated ..	44,075	26,384	18,948	12,058
In process of alienation ..	23,785	7,168	7,766	4,314
Held under Lease or Licence ..	112,285	5,404	326,192	113,258
Other Crown lands ..	17,891	17,290	76,214	113,615
Total ..	198,036	56,246	429,120	243,245

Land—	W.A.	Tas.	Nor. Terr.	Fed. Cap. Terr.	Aus-tralia.
	Acres.	Acres	Acres.	Acres	Acres.
Alienated	14,984	5,740	478	67	122,733
In process of alienation ..	21,225	517	..	40	64,815
Held under Lease or Licence	256,621	2,655	145,000	288	961,704
Other Crown Lands	331,759	7,866	189,639	6206	754,480
Total ..	624,589	16778	335,117	601	1,903,732

(a) Includes Lord Howe Island.
Jervis Bay area.

(b) Includes

16.—RAINFALL AND TEMPERATURE—STATE AND FEDERAL CAPITAL CITIES.

Capital.	Height above Mean Sea Level.	Annual Rainfall.		
		Average.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Feet.	Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Sydney ..	138	47.37	82.76	21.49
Melbourne ..	115	25.61	38.04	15.61
Brisbane ..	137	45.28	88.26	16.17
Adelaide ..	140	21.14	30.87	11.39
Perth ..	197	34.87	49.22	20.21
Hobart ..	177	23.99	43.39	13.43
Canberra ..	1,837	22.39	33.71	16.31

Capital.	Temperature.			
	Mean Summer.	Mean Winter.	Highest on record	Lowest on record
	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.	Fah.
Sydney ..	71.0	54.2	108.5	35.7
Melbourne ..	66.6	50.0	111.2	27.0
Brisbane ..	76.6	59.8	108.9	36.1
Adelaide ..	73.0	53.1	116.3	32.0
Perth ..	73.0	56.0	108.4	34.2
Hobart ..	61.5	46.9	105.2	27.0
Canberra ..	68.1	43.9	104.2	14.0

17.—PASTORAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in value per head.

Particulars.		1921-22.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Number of Live Stock—				
Sheep (a)	..	86,119	110,568	110,619
Cattle	.. ..	14,441	11,721	12,261
Horses	.. ..	2,438	1,793	1,776
Stock Slaughtered—				
Sheep	.. No.	12,448	16,363	17,177
Cattle	.. No.	1,649	1,787	1,751
Production—				
Beef—				
Quantity	lb.	827,814	770,638	773,760
Value ..	£	11,015	14,450	10,802
Mutton and Lamb—				
Quantity	lb.	512,128	626,590	688,300
Value ..	£	9,247	9,253	10,236
Wool (b)—				
Quantity	lb.	634,457	912,141	1,006,630
Value ..	£	39,576	34,803	35,073
Skins—Value	£	5,910	3,741	3,132
Tallow—				
Quantity	cwt.	1,354	952	1,272
Value ..	£	2,125	1,174	1,341
Value of Pastoral Production ..	£	75,054	69,499	61,540
Value per head of Population	..	£13 12s. 6d.	£10 14s. 8d.	£9 8s. 7d.
Total Exports of Australian Pastoral Products (c) ..				
	£	58,071	41,817	41,495
Exports of Wool (d) ..	£	47,977	32,002	32,102

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1932, 112,000,000.

(b) Estimate, 1932-33, 1,028,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 64, *et seq.* (d) Exports of wool in the five years ending 1931-32 averaged over £45 m.

18.—DAIRYING STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 omitted, except in Production per Cow.

Particulars.	1921-22.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Number of Dairy Cows	2,343	2,631	2,881
Production—			
Milk .. gals.	755,270	930,778	1,038,326
Butter (b) .. lb.	267,971	350,405	390,654
Cheese .. lb.	32,653	33,100	31,423
Condensed, &c. lb.	70,383	45,665	41,410
Production per Dairy Cow—			
Milk .. gal.	343	381	392
Butter .. lb.	121	143	147
Number of Pigs (a) ..	960	1,071	1,168
Number of Pigs Slaughtered	944	1,470	1,510
Production—			
Bacon and Ham lb.	58,626	71,050	71,122
Pork .. lb.	24,500	50,297	50,950
Exports (c)—			
Butter .. lb.	127,347	163,181	201,639
Cheese .. lb.	12,671	8,595	7,268
Bacon and Ham lb.	2,713	2,100	1,429
Pork, Frozen lb.	152	8,624	7,383
Total Value of—			
Dairy Production £	44,417	43,067	41,478
Butter .. £	18,813	21,448	21,336
Eggs and Poultry £	9,023	8,905	8,535
Milk .. £	6,782	5,762	5,425
Bacon and Ham £	3,581	2,743	2,472
Exports of Dairy Products (c) .. £	11,005	9,698	11,568

(a) Estimate, 31st December, 1932, 1,150,000.

(b) Estimate, 1932-33, 420,000,000 lb. (c) For further details see page 64, *et seq.*

19.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED IN AREA AND YIELD.

Crop.		1921-22.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Wheat(a)	Acres ..	9,719	18,165	14,741
	Yield, bus.	129,089	213,594	190,612
	Aver. ,,	13.28	11.76	12.93
Oats	Acres ..	733	1,082	1,085
	Yield, bus.	12,147	16,658	15,195
	Aver. ,,	16.56	15.39	14.00
Barley	Acres ..	299	383	342
	Yield, bus.	6,086	6,661	6,291
	Aver. ,,	20.35	17.40	18.39
Maize	Acres ..	305	293	269
	Yield, bus.	7,840	8,026	7,062
	Aver. ,,	25.69	27.34	26.21
Hay	Acres ..	2,995	3,323	2,635
	Yield, tons	3,902	4,150	3,167
	Aver. ,,	1.30	1.25	1.20
Potatoes	Acres ..	149	142	145
	Yield, tons	388	365	397
	Aver. ,,	2.60	2.57	2.74

(a) Estimate, 1932-33, 212,398,359 bushels.

19.—AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS—AUSTRALIA

—continued.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN AVERAGES.

Crop.		1921-22.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Sugar Cane	{ Acres ..	197	312	326
	{ Yield, tons	2,437	3,689	4,213
	{ Aver. „,(a)	18.99	16.06	17.44
Sugar Produced (b) ..		300	536	604
Orchards	{ Acres ..	281	276	273
	{ Pro-duction £	6,471	7,086	7,030
Vineyards	{ Acres ..	92	113	113
	{ Wine prod., gal.	8,543	13,078	14,191
Total Area under Crop acres		15,357	25,164	21,167
Value of Agricultural Production £		81,890	70,500	74,489
Average Value of Crops—				
Per acre		£5/6/8	£2/16/0	£3/10/5
Per Head of Population		£14/17/3	£10/17/9	£11/8/3
Average price of wheat(c) per bus.		8s. 11d.	3s. 10½d.	2s. 5½d.

(a) Per acre of productive cane. (b) Estimated yield 1932, 534,000 tons, and 1933, 567,000 tons. (c) Year ended December previous. Average price for 1932, 3s. 1d. per bushel.

20.—MINERAL PRODUCTION—AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED, EXCEPT IN LAST TWO ITEMS.

Mineral.			1922.	1931.	1932.
Gold	..	fine oz.	755	595	714
Silver	..	oz.	11,746	8,854	8,994
Lead	..	ton	130	163	187
Zinc	..	"	159	96	85
Copper	..	"	12	16	14
Tin	..	"	2.6	1.7	2
Coal	..	"	12,209	8,401	8,544
" Brown	..	"	90	2,194	2,613
Limestone Flux	..	"	120	116	154
Iron Ore and Flux	..	"	52	294	538
Pig Iron produced(a),	..	"	301	233	190
Steel Ingots (a)	..	"	251	228	221
Steel Rails, Bars, &c. a	..	"	164	189	179
Value of Mineral Production	..	£	20,281	15,352	15,613
Value per head of Population	..	£3/12/	£2/7/5	£2/7/6	
Number of Miners Employed	..	..	52,385	55,105	52,000

(a) Year ending June. (b) Subject to revision.

21.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Particulars.	1921-22.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Number of Factories (c)	18,023	21,751	21,657
Hands Employed <i>b</i> { <i>M.</i> <i>F.</i>	281 97	246 93	238 99
Total	378	339	337
Wages paid (a) £	68,051	62,455	55,932
Wages paid per employee (c) £	187	194	175
Power and Fuel used £	8,256	10,384	9,465
Net h.p. used ..	502	746	810
Net h.p. used per employee (c) ..	1.33	2.19	2.41
Raw Materials used £	190,410	162,105	161,199
Value of Production £	121,674	118,310	110,982
Value of Production per employee (c) £	321	349	330
Total Value of Output £	320,341	290,799	281,646
Value of Land and Buildings £	67,322	112,211	106,590
Plant and Machinery £	78,086	124,498	121,529

(a) Excluding Working Proprietors. (b) Including Working Proprietors, 15,103 in 1921-22, 16,705 in 1930-31 and 16,746 in 1931-32. (c) Actual number or value.

22.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—CLASSES OF INDUSTRY, FACTORIES AND EMPLOYEES, AUSTRALIA, 1931-32.

Class of Industry.(a)	Fac- tories.	Em- ployees.
	No.	No.
I. Treatment of Mine and Quarry Products ..	349	3,885
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc. ..	313	5,200
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Ex- plosives, Paint, etc. ..	544	12,058
IV. Industrial Metals, Ma- chines, etc. ..	5,376	82,688
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, etc. ..	240	1,670
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods	515	30,553
VII. Skins and Leather ..	485	7,846
VIII. Clothing ..	3,822	61,864
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	4,344	62,455
X. Woodworking and Basket- ware ..	2,077	14,319
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	910	7,249
XII. Paper, Printing and Binding ..	1,611	29,052
XIII. Rubber ..	279	5,051
XIV. Musical Instruments ..	41	800
XV. Miscellaneous Products	285	3,827
XVI. Heat, Light and Power ..	466	8,141
Total ..	21,657	336,658

(a) This revised classification of industries, based on that adopted in the British Census of Production, will be used in future for production statistics.

**23.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—WAGES,
FUEL, MATERIALS, VALUE OF PRODUCTION,
AUSTRALIA, 1931-32.**

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)		Wages Paid.	Value of Power and Fuel Used.	Value of Materials Used.	Value of Production.
		£	£	£	£
I.	..	808	348	1,352	1,688
II.	..	873	278	514	1,466
III.	..	2,293	401	9,963	7,921
IV.	..	15,413	2,131	24,578	22,804
V.	..	236	15	224	403
VI.	..	3,970	468	9,998	6,929
VII.	..	1,285	161	5,368	2,229
VIII.	..	6,851	223	12,634	11,105
IX.	..	11,906	2,156	77,976	28,697
X.	..	2,317	159	4,570	3,668
XI.	..	993	54	1,770	1,616
XII.	..	5,449	310	6,766	9,621
XIII.	..	844	192	2,258	1,868
XIV.	..	159	11	194	173
XV.	..	539	33	942	1,094
XVI.	..	1,995	2,525	2,092	9,699
Total	..	55,931	9,465	161,199	110,981

(a) For particulars see Table 22.

24.—MANUFACTURING STATISTICS—VALUE OF OUTPUT, LAND AND BUILDINGS, PLANT AND MACHINERY—AUSTRALIA, 1931-32.

,000 OMITTED.

Class. (a)	Production per Em- ployee. (b)	Value of Output.	Value of Land and Buildings.	Value of Plant and Machinery.
	£	£	£	£
I. ..	434	3,388	2,393	5,773
II. ..	282	2,257	1,993	1,975
III. ..	657	18,286	5,779	5,729
IV. ..	276	49,513	25,583	24,665
V. ..	242	643	511	139
VI. ..	227	17,396	4,739	5,638
VII. ..	284	7,758	1,778	917
VIII. ..	180	23,961	9,334	2,211
IX. ..	459	108,829	26,676	28,176
X. ..	256	8,397	3,602	3,499
XI. ..	223	3,441	1,978	672
XII. ..	331	16,697	9,188	7,310
XIII. ..	370	4,318	2,078	2,029
XIV. ..	216	377	313	163
XV. ..	286	2,068	1,029	508
XVI. ..	1,191	14,316	9,616	32,125
Total	330	281,645	106,590	121,529

(a) For particulars see Table 22.

(b) Actual amount.

25.—ESTIMATED VALUE OF PRODUCTION (a), ALL INDUSTRIES—AUSTRALIA.

£,000 OMITTED.

Industry.	1913.	1923- 24.	1924- 25.	1925- 26.	1926- 27.
	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural	46,162	81,166	107,163	89,267	98,295
Pastoral ..	63,146	110,216	127,301	113,556	111,716
Dairying, etc. ..	21,682	42,112	45,190	48,278	46,980
Forestry and Fisheries	6,626	11,866	12,357	12,784	12,790
Mining ..	25,594	22,184	24,592	24,529	23,939
Manufactur- ing ..	57,674	132,732	137,977	143,256	153,634
Total ..	220,884	400,276	454,580	431,670	447,354

Industry.	1927- 28.	1928- 29.	1929- 30.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.
	£	£	£	£	£
Agricultural	84,328	89,440	77,109	70,500	74,489
Pastoral ..	124,554	116,733	84,563	69,499	61,540
Dairying, etc. ..	50,261	50,717	49,398	43,067	41,478
Forestry and Fisheries	12,181	11,617	11,371	8,313	7,653
Mining ..	23,015	19,539	17,912	15,400	13,352
Manufactur- ing ..	153,562	159,759	149,184	112,966	106,456
Total ..	452,901	447,805	389,537	319,745	304,968

(a) Gross values, except for manufacturing. For net values, see Production Bulletin No. 26, Appendix.

26.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE.

,000 OMITTED.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Total Trade.	Ships' Stores.(a)
	£	£	£	£
1922-23	131,758	117,870	249,628	2,887
1923-24	140,618	119,487	260,105	2,615
1924-25	157,143	161,311	318,454	2,715
1925-26	151,638	146,209	297,847	2,773
1926-27	164,717	144,084	308,801	2,781
1927-28	147,945	141,206	289,151	2,601
1928-29	143,648	141,633	285,281	2,316
1929-30	131,081	125,127	256,208	2,047
1930-31	60,960	(d)88,904	149,864	1,653
1931-32	44,713	(d)85,003	129,716	1,560
1932-33c	57,985	(d)96,862	154,847	(b)

(a) Not included with exports. (b) Not available.
 (c) Preliminary figures. (d) Australian currency value, £104,354,638 in 1930-31, £107,967,143 in 1931-32 and in 1932-33 £121,477,185.

27.—STERLING VALUE OF EXTERNAL TRADE PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Total Trade.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1922-23	23	7	8	20	18	4	44	6	0
1923-24	24	9	1	20	15	8	45	4	9
1924-25	26	15	1	27	9	3	54	4	4
1925-26	25	6	2	24	8	0	49	14	2
1926-27	26	19	2	23	11	7	50	10	9
1927-28	23	14	7	22	12	11	46	7	6
1928-29	22	13	4	22	7	0	45	0	4
1929-30	20	8	8	19	10	2	39	18	10
1930-31	9	8	3	(b)13	14	7	23	2	10
1931-32	6	17	0	(b)13	0	6	19	17	6
1932-33 a	8	16	4	(b)14	14	7	23	10	11

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Values in Australian currency were £16 2s. 3d. in 1930-31, £16 10s. 10d. in 1931-32, and £18 8s. 11d. in 1932-33.

28.—ORIGIN OF IMPORTS—AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)

BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Origin.	1930-31.		1931-32.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£		£	
U. Kingdom ..	23,283,784	39.60	17,408,811	40.63
Canada ..	1,377,217	2.34	1,392,271	3.25
Ceylon ..	1,061,478	1.81	598,177	1.38
India ..	3,778,492	6.43	2,775,356	6.48
Malaya (Brit.)	274,894	0.47	276,654	0.65
New Zealand	775,034	1.32	702,698	1.64
Pacific Islands	707,931	1.20	653,735	1.53
South Africa	89,823	0.15	56,598	0.13
Other British	424,887	0.72	352,196	0.83
Total British	31,773,540	54.04	24,216,496	56.52
Belgium ..	312,023	0.53	282,131	0.66
China ..	347,641	0.59	314,778	0.73
France ..	1,498,306	2.55	1,145,829	2.67
Germany ..	1,997,056	3.40	1,427,079	3.33
Italy ..	658,308	1.12	453,891	1.06
Japan ..	2,379,558	4.05	2,396,734	5.59
Netherlands ..	631,634	1.07	361,405	0.84
Netherlands East Indies	4,011,194	6.83	2,648,948	6.18
Norway ..	214,440	0.36	188,300	0.44
Sweden ..	822,563	1.40	693,433	1.62
Switzerland ..	926,144	1.58	471,054	1.10
United States	11,399,005	19.39	7,037,417	16.43
Other Foreign	1,819,521	3.09	1,208,100	2.83
Total Foreign	27,017,393	45.96	18,629,099	43.48
Total Imports	58,790,933	100	42,845,595	100
	(a)			

(a) The values exclude outside packages, 1930-31, £1,794,965, and 1931-32, £1,213,561.

29.—DESTINATION OF EXPORTS—AUSTRALIA.

(Excluding Gold Bullion and Specie.)

AUSTRALIAN CURRENCY VALUES.

Country of Destination.	1930-31.		1931-32.	
	Value.	%	Value.	%
	£		£	
U. Kingdom ..	39,600,153	44.02	47,823,652	49.79
Canada ..	958,730	1.07	1,033,782	1.07
Ceylon ..	373,736	0.42	313,243	0.33
Fiji ..	363,988	0.40	268,704	0.28
Hong Kong ..	379,880	0.42	737,280	0.77
India ..	2,227,457	2.48	748,835	0.78
Malaya (Brit.)	818,917	0.90	916,462	0.95
New Zealand	2,975,848	3.31	2,603,716	2.70
Papua ..	136,345	0.15	128,351	0.13
South Africa	496,455	0.55	370,211	0.39
Other British	1,242,222	1.38	1,770,747	1.84
Total British	49,573,731	55.10	56,714,983	59.03
Belgium ..	4,195,186	4.66	3,579,143	3.72
China ..	3,348,518	3.72	4,942,859	5.14
Egypt ..	1,470,555	1.63	1,049,466	1.09
France ..	6,747,944	7.50	4,636,602	4.83
Germany ..	5,310,575	5.90	3,922,479	4.08
Italy ..	3,494,885	3.88	3,631,915	3.78
Japan ..	9,500,499	10.56	11,659,012	12.13
Netherlands ..	387,611	0.43	509,712	0.53
Netherlands				
East Indies	1,412,525	1.57	1,333,959	1.39
Pacific Islands	243,213	0.27	244,262	0.25
Philippine Is.	329,239	0.36	315,366	0.33
United States	2,930,407	3.25	1,990,262	2.07
Other Foreign	1,018,338	1.17	1,544,451	1.63
Total Foreign	40,389,495	44.90	39,359,488	40.97
Total Exports	89,963,226	100	96,074,471	100

30.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA.

(BRITISH CURRENCY VALUES.)

Article.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Tea	2,245,567	1,365,626	1,270,952
Tobacco, and preparations thereof ..	1,565,636	614,193	712,240
Whisky ..	446,418	166,369	359,922
Copra ..	97,999	136,657	137,073
Gloves ..	220,492	225,321	309,145
Trimmings and ornaments ..	454,962	327,805	310,034
Piece Goods—			
Canvas and duck	285,527	252,495	381,635
Cotton and linen	4,123,483	4,187,126	5,090,024
Silk or contain- ing silk ..	3,017,936	2,471,972	2,793,920
Woollen or con- taining wool ..	185,235	51,451	121,297
Sewing silks, cot- tons, etc. ..	468,591	466,120	548,313
Carpets and car- peting ..	468,461	307,850	599,175
Floorcloths and linoleums ..	218,219	134,811	202,005
Bags and sacks	2,753,911	1,931,355	2,596,201
Yarns—			
Artificial Silk ..	445,590	547,926	494,695
Cotton ..	454,050	470,801	587,396
Woollen ..	44,736	35,603	52,414
Petroleum spirit, benzine, etc. ..	4,877,840	3,071,065	3,692,507
Kerosene ..	707,806	434,589	623,625
Electrical ma- chinery and appliances ..	2,334,260	927,242	1,041,273

(a) Preliminary figures.

30.—IMPORTS OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES— AUSTRALIA—continued.

Article.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(a)
	£ Stg.	£ Stg.	£ Stg.
Electrical materials, cable and wire, covered	507,669	274,082	376,300
Agricultural machinery ..	174,942	47,690	83,837
Tools of trade	413,028	304,030	515,181
Plated Ware and Cutlery	324,308	195,502	342,988
Chassis & Bodies for motor cars, and parts ..	860,037	436,096	1,589,735
Iron and Steel—			
Plate & sheet	1,339,715	1,033,954	1,397,003
Pipes & tubes	461,715	272,480	416,307
Rubber and manufactures	682,755	611,262	573,918
Timber, undr's'd logs, etc.(b) ..	629,673	629,692	890,552
Crockery & other h'sehold ware	391,531	260,305	390,983
Glass and glass-ware ..	280,532	176,634	362,115
Paper, printing	1,651,410	1,661,603	1,818,052
Stationery, books, etc.	1,805,769	1,198,587	1,211,652
Drugs, chemicals, etc. ..	3,069,287	2,670,688	3,665,690
Musical instruments, pianos, etc. ..	66,873	26,296	36,827
All other articles	c22,883,670	c16,787,590	c22,390,456
Total Imports	60,959,633	44,712,868	57,985,442

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Exclusive of undressed timber not measured in super. feet. (c) Including Outside Packages, 1930-31, £1,794,965; 1931-32, £1,213,561; and 1932-33, £1,526,936.

31.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE. (Australian Currency Values).

Article.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(b)
Butter cntl.	1,631,807	2,016,394	2,263,316
£	8,120,165	9,812,827	9,264,665
Cheese cntl.	85,947	72,677	117,852
£	244,066	212,870	318,895
Meats £	5,747,995	6,368,245	5,998,196
Milk and Cream cntl.	123,510	159,963	244,509
£	610,653	642,016	927,546
Fruits, dried cntl.	1,233,706	969,076	1,062,475
£	2,248,791	1,965,310	2,230,110
Fruits, fresh cntl.	1,680,254	2,254,665	2,756,494
£	1,588,027	2,085,595	2,417,354
Fruits and Vegetables, preserved in liquid £	611,996	677,896	778,834
Wheat cntl.	71,533,974	76,440,603	71,733,563
£	14,744,468	19,220,203	17,804,849
Flour cntl.	10,484,864	12,217,163	12,621,464
£	3,513,573	3,833,237	4,147,003
Jams and Jellies cntl.	14,453	16,749	18,765
£	40,901	44,630	47,609
Sugar.. tons	199,210	287,908	187,061
£	1,805,777	2,514,502	1,490,036
Sandalwood tons	2,964	2,345	4,854
£	72,969	62,914	132,657
Tobacco cntl.	10,309	7,671	6,402
£	272,418	200,701	171,771
Hides and Skins£	3,635,577	2,314,279	2,368,591
Wool (a) cntl.	8,602,162	8,936,206	10,052,513
£	32,001,760	32,102,246	36,403,218

(a) In terms of Greasy Wool. (b) Preliminary figures.

31.—EXPORTS OF PRINCIPAL AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE—*continued.*

Article.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(b)
Pearlshell tons	2,418	1,339	1,639
£	354,992	194,351	234,858
Tallow tons	26,850	38,639	37,355
£	643,405	831,415	790,365
Coal .. tons	387,851	344,015	282,977
£	411,612	341,800	281,512
Concentrates tons	180,216	62,415	79,899
£	744,098	141,633	296,176
Copper tons	12,185	12,024	8,408
£	485,548	469,184	248,907
Lead .. tons	154,880	149,851	181,610
£	2,418,974	2,267,924	2,384,056
Tin .. tons	600	779	979
£	81,660	124,963	189,723
Zinc—Bar, tons	45,477	45,535	34,969
Block, Dust £	723,894	697,236	578,453
Leather £	366,558	386,027	390,355
Timber, un- dressed, includ- ing Logs (a) sup. ft.	62,396,283	47,038,823	26,679,149
£	712,501	499,008	305,891
Soap .. cntl.	137,699	108,955	89,944
£	258,591	194,673	166,227
Gold .. £	14,279,829	11,526,304	21,600,816
Silver.. £	733,471	592,576	969,609
All other ar- ticles £	4,647,645	5,511,482	5,760,854
Total Exports— Australian Produce £	102,121,914	105,836,047	118,699,136

(a) Exclusive of undressed timber not measured in
super. feet. (b) Preliminary figures.

32.—BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,853.7	2,099.1	8,960.9	8,556.5
Canada ..	2.3	..	12.4	..
Ceylon ..	4.2	4.6	22.3	19.2
Hong Kong ..	6.2	9.3	33.6	41.6
Malaya (Brit.)	14.0	11.7	74.4	53.9
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	2.0	2.3	12.9	12.1
Other British Countries ..	4.1	6.2	24.6	26.5
Belgium ..	0.4	2.2	1.7	7.2
China ..	12.7	10.8	65.3	46.2
Egypt ..	12.9	15.5	68.4	66.1
Germany ..	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.2
Italy ..	4.2	..	19.4	..
Japan ..	0.4	2.9	2.4	11.7
Netherlands E. Indies ..	80.9	81.3	419.0	349.1
Pacific Islands	1.6	1.8	9.0	8.7
Panama ..	3.7	2.7	17.5	11.2
Philippine Is. ..	9.0	10.9	49.8	46.6
Other Foreign Countries ..	4.1	2.0	18.8	7.9
Total ..	2,016.4	2,263.3	9,812.8	9,264.7

(a) Preliminary figures.

33.—FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	3,839	2,440	1,146	768
Ceylon ..	389	384	127	128
Cyprus ..	59	58	16	17
Hong Kong ..	1,071	1,017	382	330
Malaya (Brit.)	873	879	278	293
Malta ..	105	91	32	28
Mauritius ..	265	218	83	70
New Zealand ..	97	54	36	21
Pacific Is. (Brit.)	102	116	40	46
Sth. Africa ..	25	5	8	2
Sudan ..	193	301	60	94
Other British Countries ..	139	227	46	91
Africa, Portu- guese East..	124	118	41	39
Africa, Portu- guese West	114	75	35	23
China ..	137	3,201	49	1,070
Egypt ..	2,131	564	632	175
Netherlands E. Indies ..	1,711	1,463	529	488
Pacific Islands (Foreign) ..	126	127	49	50
Philippine Is. ..	235	230	95	92
Russia ..	89	544	32	175
Siam ..	135	147	39	45
Other Foreign Countries ..	253	362	78	102
Total ..	12,217	12,621	3,833	4,147

(a) Preliminary figures.

34.—WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000	£1,000
United Kingdom	29,531	22,034	7,329	5,520
"for orders" ..	..	1,667	..	417
India ..	182	1,063	33	249
Irish Free State	2,471	1,458	588	365
Irish Free State, for orders ..	..	683	..	177
Sth. Africa ..	277	11	73	4
Other British Countries ..	436	1,092	122	293
Africa, French W., for orders	..	529	..	126
Belgium ..	1,135	300	295	73
Canary Islands for orders ..	..	3,593	..	856
China ..	18,594	20,184	4,506	4,930
Egypt ..	984	626	264	137
Greece ..	184	360	32	86
Italy ..	4,917	1,140	1,313	281
Japan ..	12,878	10,630	3,384	2,730
Netherlands ..	1,244	193	331	48
Peru ..	790	934	204	239
Other Foreign Countries ..	(b) 2,818	(b) 744	(b) 746	(b) 187
For orders ..	..	4,493	..	1,087
Total ..	76,441	71,734	19,220	17,805

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Includes Russia, 1931-32, 595,808 centals, £158,222; 1932-33, 192,814 centals, £49,085.

35.—WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australlian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	2,568	2,438	10,117	9,649
India ..	7	12	32	45
Belgium ..	638	898	1,951	2,812
Czechoslovakia	5	9	19	38
France ..	1,163	1,225	3,746	4,434
Germany ..	806	1,118	2,963	4,044
Italy ..	567	631	2,061	2,432
Japan ..	1,857	1,968	7,357	7,727
Netherlands ..	5	23	25	105
Poland ..	3	55	10	207
Spain ..	19	25	90	108
Sweden ..	19	13	88	60
U.S. of America	94	55	516	316
Other Countries	1	27	9	126
Total ..	7,752	8,497	28,984	32,103

(a) Preliminary figures.

36.—WOOL, SCoured AND WASHed (INCLUDING
WOOL TOPS), (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)
—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	340.2	353.0	1,724.8	1,826.6
Canada ..	16.2	28.3	174.3	235.9
Hong Kong ..	1.4	1.1	8.3	5.8
India ..	5.5	9.3	32.1	49.6
New Zealand ..	0.4	1.1	1.8	6.4
Belgium ..	60.8	101.0	333.4	564.1
France ..	53.7	93.4	259.3	562.0
Germany ..	48.8	90.2	259.7	517.7
Italy ..	26.6	25.7	113.2	136.7
Japan ..	30.2	47.0	156.7	241.7
Poland ..	..	11.0	..	73.8
Netherlands ..	2.1	2.3	11.3	14.5
Sweden ..	0.8	2.4	4.4	14.6
U.S. of America	3.7	2.3	26.5	21.3
Other Countries	1.7	4.4	11.7	28.7
Total ..	592.1	777.5	3,118.5	4,299.4

(a) Preliminary figures.

37.—BEEF, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)— EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,282	1,233	1,598	1,480
Canada ..	2	..	2	..
Ceylon ..	6	5	12	10
Gibraltar ..	9	10	12	14
Hong Kong ..	12	10	19	15
Malaya (British)	19	16	36	25
Malta ..	25	23	35	32
Pacific Islands (British) ..	3	4	8	8
Belgium ..	167	91	193	91
China ..	7	9	10	11
Egypt ..	43	62	56	72
Germany ..	1	..	1	..
Italy ..	11	..	13	..
Japan ..	39	21	43	22
Netherlands E. Indies ..	1	1	2	2
Pacific Islands— (Foreign) ..	..	..	1	1
Philippine Is. ..	32	53	47	71
Other Countries	..	1	..	1
Total ..	1,659	1,539	2,088	1,855

(a) Preliminary figures.

38.—MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE)—EXPORTS.

Country to which Exported.	Quantity.		Australian Currency Value.	
	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)	1931- 32.	1932- 33.(a)
	1,000 centals.	1,000 centals.	£1,000.	£1,000.
United Kingdom	1,576.5	1,613.8	2,882.2	2,616.0
Canada ..	8.4	1.4	13.2	2.1
Ceylon ..	3.9	5.2	7.8	9.1
Gibraltar ..	1.5	2.3	2.0	3.5
Hong Kong ..	4.0	4.3	7.1	6.7
Malaya (British)	9.7	10.0	19.6	16.9
Malta ..	5.3	7.7	7.1	9.7
Pacific Islands (British) ..	1.9	2.3	3.6	3.8
Other British Countries ..	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.8
Belgium ..	17.3	2.1	18.9	1.9
Egypt ..	6.2	4.1	8.0	5.4
France ..	11.9	7.3	13.1	8.2
Japan ..	0.6	0.5	0.7	0.8
Pacific Islands (Foreign) ..	0.4	0.0	0.9	0.2
Philippine Is. ..	1.8	1.9	3.7	3.5
Panama ..	2.5	4.1	4.8	8.1
Other Foreign Countries ..	0.6	0.4	0.8	0.5
Total ..	1,652.8	1,668.0	2,994.1	2,697.2

(a) Preliminary figures.

39.—OVERSEA TRADE—STATES, ETC.

States, etc.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.(a)
IMPORTS (in £ sterling).			
	£	£	£
N.S.W. ..	26,311,411	18,797,584	23,799,380
Victoria ..	20,305,201	16,043,817	21,500,998
Queensland	5,556,434	3,746,131	4,523,115
S.A. ..	3,916,258	2,821,538	3,766,983
W.A. ..	4,060,261	2,728,963	3,821,363
Tasmania ..	790,817	564,951	564,789
N. Territory	19,251	9,884	8,814
Total ..	60,959,633	44,712,868	57,985,442

EXPORTS (in £ Australian).

N.S.W. ..	31,618,727	34,608,871	46,725,696
Victoria ..	26,476,819	27,587,320	29,951,002
Queensland	16,935,181	16,106,067	15,279,746
S.A. ..	10,263,441	12,247,406	12,781,061
W.A. ..	16,703,658	14,816,420	14,012,167
Tasmania ..	2,341,856	2,580,435	2,515,934
N. Territory	14,956	20,624	11,579
Total ..	104,354,638	107,967,143	121,277,185
	(b)	(b)	(b)

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Australian currency values. The estimated sterling values are 1930-31, £88,904,142; 1931-32, £85,002,631; and in 1932-33, £96,861,556.

40.—VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION AND EXPORTS ACCORDING TO INDUSTRY—TEN YEARS, 1922-23—1931-32.

Industrial Group.	Value of Production during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Production.	Value of Exports during Ten Years.	Percentage on Total Exports.	Percentage Exported of the Production in each Industrial Group.
	£1,000.	%	£1,000.	%	%
Agriculture	855,940	21.25	295,542	24.11	34.53
Pastoral ..	1,016,805	25.24	672,574	54.87	66.15
Dairy and Farmyard	461,023	11.45	89,457	7.30	19.40
Mining ..	204,743	5.08	109,611	8.94	53.54
Forestry and Fisheries..	112,106	2.78	17,758	1.45	15.84
Total Primary Produce..	2,650,617	65.80	1,184,942	96.67	44.70
Manufacturing ..	1,377,714	34.20	40,854	3.33	2.97
Total ..	4,028,331	100	1,225,796	100	30.43

41.—SHIPPING—AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1930-31.		1931-32.	
	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.	Vessels.	Net Tonnage.
Oversea Vessels—		,000.		,000
Entered ..	1,534	5,581	1,519	5,687
Cleared ..	1,573	5,669	1,538	5,709
Total ..	3,107	11,250	3,057	11,396

42.—SHIPPING—TONNAGE OF CARGO.

YEAR 1931-32.

(>000 OMITTED.)

States, etc.	Oversea—		Inter- state— Shipped.
	Dis- charged.	Shipped.	
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
New South Wales	1,061	1,913	1,969
Victoria ..	932	1,300	583
Queensland ..	224	541	313
South Australia ..	348	1,405	674
Western Australia	361	1,315	35
Tasmania ..	40	203	434
Northern Territory	1	1	2
Total 1931-32 ..	2,967	6,678	4,010
„ 1930-31 ..	3,413	6,442	4,100
„ 1929-30 ..	6,646	4,598	4,572
„ 1928-29 ..	6,067	5,289	5,550
„ 1927-28 ..	5,889	4,686	6,225

43.—SHIPPING—NATIONALITY OF OVERSEA VESSELS ENTERED, AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Nationality.	Net Tonnage.			
	1928- 29.	1929- 30.	1930- 31.	1931- 32.
	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.	Tons.
Australian ..	206	212	227	231
United Kingdom	3,286	3,245	3,087	3,138
Canadian ..	78	57	38	42
New Zealand ..	416	399	321	261
South African ..	35	22	10	16
Other British ..	86	63	53	44
Total British	4,107	3,998	3,736	3,732
Danish ..	34	72	45	46
Dutch ..	148	154	147	157
French ..	119	107	103	91
German ..	138	105	115	116
Italian ..	55	64	68	68
Japanese ..	287	208	672	689
Norwegian ..	255	308	340	395
Swedish ..	92	86	114	111
United States of America ..	289	268	187	205
Other Foreign ..	28	74	55	77
Total Foreign	1,445	1,446	1,846	1,955
Grand Total ..	5,552	5,444	5,582	5,687

44.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—MILEAGE OPEN AND COST.

Government.	Mileage.		Cost of Construction and Equipment.	
	1930-31.	1931-32.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	Miles.	Miles.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	2,145	2,145	15,436	15,489
N.S. Wales	6,044	6,126	130,802	137,792
Victoria ..	4,717	4,721	74,303	74,416
Queensland	6,529	6,558	59,497	633,884
S. Australia	2,529	2,529	27,256	27,203
W. Australia	4,180	4,235	23,329	23,649
Tasmania ..	665	645	6,550	6,562
Total ..	26,809	26,959	341,545	323,365 ^a

(a) Includes cost of Grafton-South Brisbane line, not apportioned to States. (b) The Capital Account was reduced by £28,000,000.

45.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS. — MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1932.

Government.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age, all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	2' 6" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	
Federal ..		1,056.79	1,087.91	..	2,144.70
N.S.W. ..		6,086.09	39.51	..	6,125.60
Vic. ..	4,599.00	..	..	121.77	4,720.77
Q'land. ..		68.82	6,459.01	^a 30.26	6,558.09
S.A. ...	1,451.24	..	1,078.02	..	2,529.26
W.A. ..	..	..	4,235.07	..	4,235.07
Tas. ...	..	..	633.56	^a 11.33	644.89
Total	6,050.24	7,211.70	13,533.08	163.36	26,958.38

(a) 2' gauge.

46.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—FINANCES.

1930-31.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	309	459	— 150	492
N.S. Wales	16,006	12,900	3,106	6,790
Victoria ..	10,008	7,500	2,508	3,597
Queensland	6,477	5,075	1,402	3,018
S. Australia	2,586	2,734	— 148	1,427
W. Australia	3,199	2,611	588	968
Tasmania ..	400	449	— 49	286
Total ..	38,985	31,728	7,257	616,697

1931-32.

Government.	Gross Rev- enue.	Working Ex- penses.	Net Rev- enue.	Interest Pay- able. (a)
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
Federal ..	280	358	— 78	470
N.S. Wales	15,801	12,533	3,268	6,519
Victoria ..	9,454	6,182	3,272	3,641
Queensland	5,995	4,429	1,566	1,590
S. Australia	2,746	2,130	616	1,217
W. Australia	2,923	2,123	800	989
Tasmania ..	381	387	— 6	264
Total ..	37,580	28,142	9,438	614,799

(a) Excludes exchange.

(b) Includes part Grafton-South Brisbane line not apportioned to States.

(—) Denotes loss.

47.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—FINANCES (PERCENTAGES).

Government.	1930-31.		1931-32.	
	Percentage of—		Percentage of—	
	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.	Working Expenses on Gross Revenue.	Net Revenue on Capital Cost.
	%	%	%	%
Federal ..	148.36	-0.97	127.74	-0.50
N.S. Wales	80.59	2.40	79.32	2.37
Victoria ..	74.94	3.38	65.38	4.40
Queensland	78.36	2.38	73.89	4.62
S. Australia	105.74	-0.54	77.57	2.26
W. Australia	81.62	2.52	72.65	3.37
Tasmania ..	112.16	-0.74	101.48	-0.09
Total ..	81.38	(a) 2.12	74.88	(a) 2.92

(a) Includes Grafton-South Brisbane line.

(-) Denotes loss.

48.—GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.—TRAFFIC, 1931-32.

,000 OMITTED.

Government.	Traffic Train Miles.	Passenger Journeys.	Tonnage of Goods and Live Stock Carried.
Federal ..	517	74	98
New South Wales ..	25,849	128,359	10,211
Victoria ..	15,364	125,991	6,186
Queensland ..	10,965	20,762	3,861
South Australia ..	4,914	15,453	2,419
Western Australia..	5,093	10,394	2,848
Tasmania ..	1,130	1,681	449
Total ..	63,832	302,714	26,072

49.—PRIVATE RAILWAYS USED FOR GENERAL
TRAFFIC—MILEAGE (ROUTE) ACCORDING
TO GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1932.

State.	Gauge.				Total Mile- age—all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	3' 0" and under.	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	45.97	36.73	..	82.70
Victoria ..	13.94	..	..	11.00	24.94
Q'land. ..	..	..	97.24	165.71	262.95
S.A. ..	..	..	50.51	..	50.51
W.A. ..	..	..	277.00	..	277.00
Tasmania ..	..	..	125.07	16.49	141.56
Total, Aus- tralia ..	13.94	45.97	586.55	193.20	839.66

50.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND MOTIVE POWER, 30th JUNE, 1932.

State.	Elec- tric.	Steam	Cable.	Horse.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W.	168.00	9.06	..	..	177.06
Vic. ..	154.38	..	24.29	..	178.67
Q'land..	56.86	6.65	..	..	63.51
S.A. ..	82.84	..	..	..	82.84
W.A. ..	61.27	6.26	..	1.50	69.03
Tas. ..	30.73	..	..	..	30.73
Total ..	554.08	21.97	24.29	1.50	601.84

51.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND CONTROLLING AUTHORITY, 30th JUNE, 1932.

State.	Government.	Muni- cipal.	Private.	Total.
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	173.56	..	3.50	177.06
Vic. ..	157.42	..	21.25	178.67
Q'land ..	..	63.51	..	63.51
S.A. ..	..	82.84	..	82.84
W.A. ..	48.86	8.61	11.56	69.03
Tas. ..	..	30.73	..	30.73
Total ..	379.84	185.69	36.31	601.84

52.—TRAMWAYS—MILEAGE OPEN AND GAUGE, 30th JUNE, 1932.

State.	Gauge.			Total Mileage—all Gauges.
	5' 3".	4' 8½".	3' 6".	
	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.	Miles.
N.S.W. ..	..	177.06	..	177.06
Vic. ..	5.18	173.49	..	178.67
Q'land ..	..	56.86	6.65	63.51
S.A. ..	..	82.84	..	82.84
W.A. ..	..	..	69.03	69.03
Tas. ..	..	..	30.73	30.73
Total ..	5.18	490.25	106.41	601.84

53.—TRAMWAYS—CONTROLLING AUTHORITY AND CAPITAL COST, 30th JUNE, 1932.

State.	Government.	Municipal.	Private.	Total.
	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.	£,000.
N.S.W. ..	8,158	..	(a) 20	8,178
Vic. ..	8,412	..	233	8,645
Q'land ..	..	2,196	..	2,196
S.A. ..	..	4,044	..	4,044
W.A. ..	1,175	165	454	1,794
Tas. ..	..	629	..	629
Total ..	17,745	7,034	707	25,486

(a) Estimated.

54.—TRAMWAYS, ELECTRIC.—SUMMARY.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	Capital Cost.	Car Miles Run.	Passen- gers Carried.	Gross Re- venue.	Work- ing Ex- penses.
	£	Miles.	No.	£	£

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1931.

N.S.W. ..	8 050	31,701	263,699	3,025	3,059
Vic. ..	7,371	18,847	144,466	1,737	1,125
Q'land ..	2,220	6,421	69,413	704	504
S.A. ..	3,871	(a) 7,871	a 52,756	(a) 722	(a) 445
W.A. ..	1,723	4,269	38,285	376	325
Tas. ..	612	1,934	16,360	159	128
Total	23,847	71,043	584,979	6,723	5,586

YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1932.

N.S.W. ..	7,991	35,616	284,324	3,283	3,014
Vic. ..	7,344	18,691	135,962	1,644	989
Q'land ..	2,142	6,252	68,262	677	467
S.A. ..	4,044	(a) 7,340	a 48,467	(a) 660	(a) 384
W.A. ..	1,723	4,213	36,126	357	286
Tas. ..	629	1,928	15,493	155	115
Total ..	23,873	74,040	588,634	6,776	5,255

(a) Includes motor omnibuses.

55.—CIVIL AIRCRAFT—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Particulars.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Registered aircraft owners (a) .. No.	120	115
Registered aircraft (a) No.	225	189
Licensed pilots—		
Private (a) .. No.	407	363
Commercial (a) .. No.	209	183
Flights carried out .. No.	113,340	96,192
Hours flown ..	44,507	31,959
Approximate mileage Miles	3,596,930	2,527,700
Passengers carried—		
Paying .. No.	80,651	56,883
Non-paying .. No.	13,699	13,771
Total .. No.	94,350	70,654
Goods, Weight carried lb.	204,445	221,552
Mails, Letters carried lb.	48,503	29,494
Accidents—		
Persons killed .. No.	29	7
,, injured .. No.	20	17

(a) At 30th June.

56.—MOTOR VEHICLES—SUMMARY.

States, etc.	Motor Vehicles Registered.			Drivers' and Riders' Licences Issued.	Re- venue. (a)
	Cars, Trucks, &c.	Cycles.	Total.		
YEAR 1930-31.					
N.S.W.	197,550	25,453	223,003	329,676	1,605,500
Vic. ..	144,596	23,635	168,231	228,051	1,106,011
Q'land ..	82,237	8,544	90,831	63,227	502,483
S.A. ..	48,073	8,152	56,225	106,053	469,285
W.A. ..	38,621	6,777	45,398	55,752	286,140
Tas. ..	14,189	4 289	18,478	20,465	94,760
Cen. Aust.	115	1	116	140	185
Nor. Aust.	397	31	428	586	691
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,311	84	1,395	1,676	7,578
Total ..	527,139	76,966	604,105	805,626	4,072,633

YEAR 1931-32.

N.S.W.	184,020	22,741	206,761	308,087	1,550,168
Vic. ..	145,384	22,568	167,952	226,712	1,098,035
Q'land ..	80,926	8,034	88,960	60,930	494,741
S.A. ..	49,932	7,860	57,792	81,300	499,704
W.A. ..	40,702	6,700	47,402	56,171	278,816
Tas. ..	13,549	3,661	17,210	19,426	93,547
Cen. Aust.	} 540	39	579	589	492
Nor. Aust.					
Fed. Cap. Terrty.	1,171	93	1,264	1,624	7,379
Total	516,224	71,696	587,920	754,839	4,022,882

(a) Includes motor tax.

57.—POSTS—SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Post Offices(a)	8,607	8,137	8,004
Staff (b) ..	43,872	39,051	38,788
Postal Branch—			
Revenue £	5,893,173	5,893,398	5,741,281
Working Expenses £	5,181,536	4,981,057	4,251,768
Interest payable £	154,532	191,059	221,979

(a) Excluding Telephone Offices at which telephone and telegraph business only is transacted 1929-30 (1,671), 1930-31 (1,753), and 1931-32 (1,835). (b) Including mail contractors.

58.—POSTS—POSTAL MATTER, ETC., AUSTRALIA.

(,000 OMITTED.)

Heading.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Postal Matter dealt with—			
No. of { Letters, post-cards and packets ..	865,413	761,508	731,134
{ Newspapers ..	178,017	152,326	139,502
{ Parcels ..	14,586	10,209	9,203
{ Registered Articles ..	8,268	7,244	6,731
Money Orders—			
Issued .. No.	3,415	3,055	2,781
Value .. £	17,447	15,790	14,351
Paid .. No.	3,224	2,989	2,788
Value .. £	16,811	15,381	14,367
Postal Notes—			
Issued .. No.	15,879	14,691	16,205
Value .. £	5,843	5,343	5,579

59.—TELEGRAPHS AND TELEPHONES— SUMMARY, AUSTRALIA.

Heading.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Telegraphs—			
No. of Offices ..	9,317	9,189	9,225
Length, Line, miles	106,709	109,244	109,527
„ Wire, „	160,414	160,149	157,260
Telegrams Sent.No.a	15,724	12,985	12,680
Revenue £	1,464,802	61,369,541	61,329,540
Working Expenses £	1,535,513	61,539,694	61,266,129
Interest Payable £	161,477	6185,213	6215,846
Cables Received and Sent .. No.	1,500 321	1,220,078	1,174,968
Telephones—			
No. of Exchanges	6,094	6,086	6,069
No. of Connexions—			
Lines ..	395,812	376,243	363,572
Instruments ..	520,169	498,055	484,626
Revenue £	6,033,033	5,731,348	5,411,077
Working Expenses £	4,593 432	4,358,487	3,661,253
Interest Payable £	1,566,635	1,805,781	2,128,914
Wireless—			
Messages ..	163,082	139,308	131,751
Paying Words ..	2,239,483	2,083,963	1,936,339
Licences—			
Broadcasting ..	23	39	50
Broadcast Listeners'	311,632	331,082	369,072
Experimental ..	544	839	851

(a) ,000 omitted.

(b) Including Radio.

60.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.—RECEIPTS. (a)

,000 OMITTED.

Source of Revenue.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£	£	£	£
Customs ..	30,157	18,224	18,566	21,314
Excise ..	11,617	10,071	9,840	11,679
Sales Tax ..	..	3,473	8,425	9,369
Land Tax	2,840	2,759	2,157	1,650
Income Tax	11,120	13,604	13,482	10,879
Federal Salaries ..	..	34	4	..
Probate and Succession Duties ..	2,123	2,069	1,386	1,127
Entertainments Tax	316	187	133	134
War-time Profits Tax	15	<i>Dr.</i> 1	<i>Dr.</i> 34	<i>Dr.</i> 6
Total Taxation ..	58,188	50,420	53,959	56,146
Posts, Telegraphs, &c.	13,551	12,839	12,363	12,594
Railways ..	418	309	291	301
Marine ..	201	197	201	205
Territories	87	207	202	203
Coinage ..	41	142	191	50
Net Profit on Note Issue	704	450	1,306	1,109
Other ..	3,953	5,003	3,019	2,905
Total ..	77,143	69,567	71,532	73,513
Per Head of Population	£12/0/8	10/14/11	£10/19/3	£11/3/8

(a) Excluding interest received from States on account of States' Debts.

61.—COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND—DISBURSEMENTS.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
Governor-Gen.	£	£	£	£
Department	32	25	21	22
Parliament ..	556	421	453	338
Prime Min. ..	1,412	1,462	1,314	1,431
Treasury ..	971	1,483	2,949	2,253
Attorney-Gen.	246	233	197	197
Interior ..	1,109	1,102	1,010	984
Military ..	1,820	1,698	1,520	1,457
Navy ..	2,170	1,835	1,507	1,586
Air Services ..	555	547	483	475
Trade and				
Customs ..	1,263	1,156	984	912
Health ..	275	221	175	171
Commerce ..	646	600	582	763
Railways ..	1,109	1,057	1,040	1,017
Postmaster-				
General ..	13,025	12,995	11,754	11,703
Territories ..	521	819	828	794
Total ..	25,710	25,654	24,817	24,103
Pensions, &c.a	11,434	12,342	11,504	11,092
New Works ..	246	75	833	874
War Expen-				
diture ..	29,735	29,141	20,963	19,122
Payments to				
States (b) ..	11,489	13,113	12,101	14,775
Balance (c) ..	..	..	1,314	3,547
	78,614	80,325	71,532	73,513
Per Head of				
Population	£12/5/3	£12/8/2	£10/19/3	£11/3/8

(a) Invalid and Old-age Pensions and Maternity Allowances. (b) Including Federal Aid Roads. (c) Balance of receipts over ordinary expenditure appropriated for payment of Invalid and Old-age pensions.

62.—COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC DEBT.—ALLOCATION, 30th JUNE, 1933.

Particulars.	Australia.	London.	New York.	Total.
War	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg.	£'000. Gold.	£'000. (b)
Works and other purposes ..	192,390	90,744		283,134
Total—Commonwealth Purposes	28,884	67,898	16,890	113,672
Per Head of Population (a) ..	221,274	158,642	16,890	396,806
Debts on account of States ..	(£33 8 8)	(£23 19 4)	(£2 11 0)	(£59 19 0)
Per Head of Population (a) ..	386,114	392,157	29,581	807,852
Total Commonwealth Debt	(£58 9 0)	(£59 7 4)	(£4 9 7)	(£122 5 11)
Per head of Population (a) ..	607,388	550,799	46,471	1,204,658
	(£91 15 3)	(£83 4 4)	(£7 0 5)	(£182 0 0)

INTEREST PAYABLE.

For Commonwealth Purposes	£'000. Aust.	£'000. Stg.	£'000. Gold	£'000. (c)
Debts on account of States ..	8,599	7,726	823	17,148
Total	14,501	17,279	1,509	33,289
Average Rate	23,100	25,005	2,332	50,437
	£3 16 1	£4 10 10	£5 0 4	£4 3 9

(a) Approximate. (b) Total "face" or "book" value of debts leaving out of consideration currency changes since the loans were floated. (c) Nominal amount of interest payable, taking no account of exchange.

63.—SUMMARY OF COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE AND FROM LOAN FUNDS.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Year ended 30th June—			
	1930.	1931.	1932.	1933.
	£	£	£	£
Expenditure from Revenue—(a)				
Ordinary Services	48,879	51,184	50,569	54,391
War Services ..	29,735	29,141	20,963	19,122
Total ..	78,614	80,325	71,532	73,513
Expenditure from Loans—				
New Works ..	5,294	1,991	..	..
War Purposes ..	Cr. 2	Cr. 2	..	..
Total ..	5,292	1,989	(b)	(b)
Total Expenditure for Ordinary Services	54,173	53,175	50,569	54,391
Total Expenditure for War Services ..	29,733	29,139	20,963	19,122
Total Commonwealth Expenditure ..	83,906	82,314	71,532	73,513

(a) Excluding interest payable on debts of States (recoverable from States). (b) Works expenditure charged to Revenue. Loan Expenditure for 1931-32 comprised Wheat Bounty £3,296,464, and Unemployment Relief, £153,873, and for 1932-33, Wheat Bounty, £132,807 and Unemployed Relief, £1,155,698.

64.—COST OF WAR SERVICES TO 30th JUNE, 1933(b).

Year.	War and Repat. Services (from Con. Revenue).	War Loan Ex- pendi- ture.	Total.	Interest and Sinking Fund (from Con. Revenue).
	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.	£'000.
1914-15 ..	896	14,100	14,996	115
1915-16 ..	1,719	37,424	39,143	2,060
1916-17 ..	2,439	53,114	55,553	5,988
1917-18 ..	4,050	55,028	59,078	7,813
1918-19 ..	9,967	59,547	69,514	11,288
1919-20 ..	8,976	43,295	52,271	15,775
1920-21 ..	10,242	24,149	34,391	23,044
1921-22 ..	10,262	7,577	17,839	21,076
1922-23 ..	9,298	1,763	11,061	20,802
1923-24 ..	8,161	691	8,852	20,555
1924-25 ..	8,233	Cr. 32	8,201	20,155
1925-26 ..	8,474	Cr. 8	8,466	20,539
1926-27 ..	8,814	24	8,838	20,300
1927-28 ..	8,788	Cr. 24	8,764	20,006
1928-29 ..	9,027	Cr. 13	9,014	20,772
1929-30 ..	9,521	Cr. 3	9,518	20,215
1930-31 ..	10,469	Cr. 2	10,467	18,672
1931-32 ..	8,765	..	8,765	12,198
1932-33 ..	7,929	..	7,929	11,193
Discounts and flotation ex- penses ..	..	5,949	5,949	..
Indebtedness to U.K. for war services ren- dered (a) ..	..	43,398	43,398	..
War Gratuities	452	27,049	27,501	..
Total to 30.6.33	146,482	373,026	519,508	292,566

(a) Total amounts involved in Funding Arrangements Act was £92,480,157. Amount owing at 30th June, 1932, was £79,724,220. (b) Excluding War Service Homes expenditure from 1923-24.

65.—AVERAGE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND THE PUBLIC.(a)

Average during—	Held by Banks.	Held by Public.	Total.
	£	£	£
1928 ..	19,769,048	25,620,844	45,389,892
1929 ..	18,199,104	25,162,705	43,361,809
1930 ..	21,322,892	23,446,192	44,769,084
1931 ..	24,939,874	25,221,885	50,161,759
1932 ..	24,916,825	25,740,767	50,657,592
1933—			
At 26th June	23,346,413	24,207,013	47,553,426

(a) Average of holdings on last Monday in each month.

66.—AUSTRALIAN NOTES ISSUED. ,000 OMITTED.

Denomina- tion.	24th June, 1929.	30th June, 1930.	29th June, 1931.	27th June, 1932.	26th June, 1933.
	£	£	£	£	£
10s. ..	3,333	2,924	2,840	2,977	3,134
£1.. ..	16,125	15,032	15,070	14,437	14,618
£5.. ..	11,023	9,958	10,599	10,415	9,692
£10 ..	3,688	3,368	5,362	5,532	4,815
£20 ..	377	338	583	510	414
£50 ..	1,036	951	1,964	1,751	1,535
£100 ..	1,661	1,517	3,005	3,035	2,432
£1,000 ..	5,015	10,826	11,230	12,646	10,913
Total Issue..	42,258	44,914	50,653	51,303	47,553
Gold Reserve	22,151	19,931	15,227	10,500	a11,507
Per cent. of Reserve on Total Issue	52.42	44.38	30.06	20.47	24.20

(a) Includes English sterling.

87. OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS— NUMBER AND PAYMENTS.

Year ended 30th June.	Pensioners.			Total Payments. (a)	Weekly Pen- sions.(b)
	Old-age.	In- valid.	Total.		
	No.	No.	No.	£	s. d.
1910	65,492	(c)	65,492	1,433,585	10 0
1911	75,502	7,451	82,953	1,847,440	10 0
1912	79,071	10,763	89,834	2,149,659	10 0
1913	82,943	13,739	96,682	2,301,675	10 0
1914	87,780	16,865	104,645	2,592,201	10 0
1915	90,892	20,417	111,309	2,718,939	10 0
1916	91,783	23,439	115,222	2,891,597	10 0
1917	93,672	26,781	120,453	3,554,135	12 6
1918	95,387	29,912	125,299	3,793,037	12 6
1919	95,969	31,999	127,968	3,936,626	12 6
1920	99,170	35,231	134,401	4,484,304	15 0
1921	102,415	37,981	140,396	5,150,241	15 0
1922	105,096	39,019	144,115	5,380,034	15 0
1923	107,339	40,064	147,453	5,424,016	15 0
1924	113,054	42,617	155,671	6,523,881	17 6
1925	117,516	44,840	162,356	6,992,905	17 6
1926	126,918	48,803	175,721	8,252,387	20 0
1927	133,234	52,399	185,633	9,144,589	20 0
1928	139,367	55,517	194,884	9,790,346	20 0
1929	145,393	59,148	204,541	10,124,239	20 0
1930	155,196	63,304	218,500	10,791,325	20 0
1931	172,177	68,343	240,520	11,710,953	20 0
1932	183,317	72,292	255,609	11,125,956	17 6
1933	176,425	72,742	249,167	10,771,061	17 6

(a) Includes payments to pensioners in benevolent institutions and hospitals. (b) Maximum weekly pension payable. (c) Payments to invalid pensioners commenced 15th December, 1910.

67A.—COMMONWEALTH OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS—30th JUNE, 1933.

State.	Pensioners.			Total Pay-ments.(a)
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	
N.S.W. ..	68,807	30,729	99,536	4,242,582
Victoria ..	49,449	20,191	69,640	3,059,773
Q'land. ..	22,600	10,261	32,861	1,429,982
S.A. ..	16,442	5,019	21,461	913,451
W.A. ..	11,097	3,827	14,924	661,279
Tas. ..	8,030	2,715	10,745	463,994
Total ..	176,425	72,742	249,167	10,771,061

(a) The *Financial Emergency Act* 1931 reduced the maximum pension payments from £1 to 17s. 6d. per week.

68.—WAR PENSIONS AT 30th JUNE, 1933.

Place of payment.	Number of Pensioners.			Total.
	Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Deceased Soldiers.	Depend-ants of Incapaci-tated Soldiers.	
N.S.W. ..	25,140	9,319	52,435	86,894
Victoria ..	25,573	9,011	56,782	91,366
Q'land. ..	8,214	2,779	17,583	28,576
S.A. ..	4,086	2,417	9,014	15,517
W.A. ..	7,180	2,334	15,961	25,475
Tas. ...	3,085	1,256	8,185	12,526
London ..	1,676	2,989	3,878	8,543
S. Africa ..	47	27	76	150
N. Zealand	224	161	325	710
Elsewhere..	19	5	29	53
Total ..	75,244	30,298	164,268	269,810

69.—EXPENDITURE ON AUSTRALIAN WAR PENSIONS.

State, &c.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.	2,736,473	2,736,872	2,552,380	2,382,007
Vic. ..	2,315,583	2,367,707	2,253,005	2,086,389
Q'land.	860,607	877,044	817,780	755,447
S.A. ..	499,375	496,704	453,728	421,491
W.A. ..	793,079	787,319	698,356	629,357
Tas. ..	347,272	356,801	339,738	320,586
Else- where	367,087	373,733	325,201	330,553
Total ..	7,919,476	7,996,180	7,440,188	6,925,830

70.—COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCE (a)—CLAIMS PASSED FOR PAYMENT.

State.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	1932-33.
			(b)	(b)
N.S.W. ..	52,335	51,660	36,569	31,699
Victoria ..	33,381	32,241	23,988	20,100
Q'land. ..	18,490	18,790	13,240	11,680
S.A. ..	10,361	9,720	7,637	7,048
W.A. ..	9,030	8,909	6,773	5,879
Tas. ..	4,959	4,778	4,169	3,880
N.T. ..	42	51	34	25
Total ..	128,598	126,149	92,410	80,311

(a) The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on the 10th October, 1912, and from that date until 30th June, 1932, 2,648,196 claims were passed for payment. (b) From 20th July, 1931, the *Financial Emergency Act* 1931 reduced the allowance to £4, and payment is made only where the combined income of husband and wife for the preceding 12 months did not exceed £260. (£208 in respect of births on and after 12th October, 1932.)

71.—COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX— PARTICULARS.

Heading.			Assessment Year.		
			1926-27.	1927-28.	1928-29. (c)
No. of Tax- payers	{	Resident ..	21,293	23,748	24,943
		Absentee ..	3,126	2,986	3,051
		Total ..	24,419	26,734	27,994
,000 OMITTED.					
Unim- proved Land Values (b)	{	Resident £	232,431	257,352	272,155
		Absentee £	2,857	2,457	2,133
		Total £	235,288	259,809	274,288
Tax as- sessed	{	Resident £	2,540	2,842	2,842
		Absentee £	37	29	25
		Total £	2,577	2,871	2,867
Area of rural land assessed ; (a) acres			60,817	63,505	64,365
Assessed tax on rural land per acre (a) ..			3.888d.	3.478d.	3.527d.

(a) Exclusive of Crown leaseholds. (b) As
returned. (c) Later figures not available.

72.—COMMONWEALTH INCOME TAX— PARTICULARS, 1931-32.(a)

Income.	No. of Tax- payers.	Tax Assessed.	Amount per Taxpayer.	Per- centage of Total Tax As- sessed.
	No.	£	£ s. d.	%
Individuals—				
Under £201	199,381	540,579	2 14 3	4.3
£201 to £500 ..	62,235	980,773	15 15 2	7.7
£501 to £1,000	28,041	1,478,339	52 14 5	11.6
£1,001 and over ..	16,271	5,513,654	338 17 3	43.4
Total Indi- viduals ..	305,928	8,513,345	27 16 7	67.0
Companies	5,815	4,189,174	720 8 2	33.0
Total ..	311,743	12,702,519	40 14 11	100.0

(a) Assessed on income for year 1930-31. (Subject to revision.)

73.—STATE CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS.

RECEIPTS.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a) ..	50,447	46,905	40,921	38,635
Vic.(a) ..	28,156	27,324	25,575	24,555
Q'land. ..	16,726	15,998	15,073	12,994
S.A. ..	10,841	10,551	10,726	10,482
W.A. ..	9,948	9,750	8,687	8,035
Tas. ..	2,766	2,956	2,609	2,386
Total	118,884	113,484	103,591	97,087
Per head of Population	£18 16 2	£17 14 9	£16 0 9	£14 18 2

DISBURSEMENTS.

,000 OMITTED.

State.	1928-29.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.
	£	£	£	£
N.S.W.(a) ..	50,470	52,167	48,917	51,731
Vic. (a) ..	28,105	28,497	28,030	26,164
Q'land. ..	16,902	16,721	15,915	15,069
S.A. ..	11,772	12,177	12,540	11,545
W.A. ..	10,224	10,268	10,107	9,593
Tas. ..	2,856	2,982	2,854	2,657
Total	120,329	122,812	118,363	116,759
Per head of Population	£19 0 9	£19 3 11	£18 6 6	£17 18 7

(a) Including certain Revenue and Expenditure not brought into the Consolidated Fund, such as Railways, Tramways, Sydney Harbour Trust and Motor Taxation in New South Wales, and Motor Taxation in Victoria. (b) Excluding interest paid by Commonwealth on behalf of New South Wales, which is included in New South Wales expenditure for 1931-32.

74.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE. (a)

State.	1929-30.	1930-31.	1931-32.	Aggregate to 30th June, 1932.
	£	£	£	£1,000
N.S.W.	10,878,627	5,951,488	3,387,143	278,873
Vic. ..	5,868,445	3,068,068	1,002,224	185,821
Q'd. ..	1,295,866	727,317	Cr206,351	104,774
S.A. ..	2,493,287	464,541	286,828	97,828
W.A. ..	3,539,470	1,675,015	1,267,865	80,813
Tas. ..	146,853	209,137	26,254	26,226
Total	24,222,548	12,095,566	5,763,963	774,335

(a) Excludes Revenue Deficits.

75.—STATE NET LOAN EXPENDITURE.—

TOTAL TO 30th JUNE, 1932.

Heading.	Amount.
	£
Railways and Tramways ..	353,694,912
Telegraphs and Telephones ..	3,752,957
Water Supply and Conservation, and Sewerage	120,389,793
Harbours, Rivers, Lighthouses, and Roads and Bridges	82,030,782
Public Buildings	28,334,640
Immigration	4,266,437
Development of Mineral Resources, etc.	4,914,151
Advances to Settlers	44,831,091
Land Purchased for Settlement	
Soldier Settlement	48,004,430
Agricultural Bank	7,576,327
Loans to Local Bodies	8,938,154
Rabbit-Proof Fencing	1,964,213
Electricity Supply	24,064,767
Other Public Works and Purposes ..	41,572,237
Total, Works	774,334,891
Revenue Deficits, Treasury Bills retired, &c.	17,679,965
Grand Total	792,014,856

76.—TAXATION—COMMONWEALTH AND STATE.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.		Taxation by State Governments.	Total Taxation.
	Customs and Excise.	Other.		

AMOUNT.

	£	£	£	£
1922	27,630,359	22,048,483	18,048,978	67,727,820
1923	32,872,129	17,012,888	18,998,633	68,883,650
1924	35,750,784	15,101,699	20,391,298	71,243,781
1925	37,192,781	15,642,909	22,918,169	75,753,859
1926	39,198,878	15,174,127	25,522,563	79,895,568
1927	43,552,478	15,442,331	29,499,775	88,494,584
1928	41,446,730	15,191,128	32,252,143	88,890,001
1929	41,058,571	15,244,918	32,525,832	88,829,321
1930	41,774,391	16,413,384	33,823,803	92,011,578
1931c	28,295,073	22,125,033	35,759,813	86,179,919
1932c	28,405,796	25,553,246	32,748,228	86,707,270
1933c	32,992,434	23,153,592	(a)	(b)

PER HEAD.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
1922	5	0	4	4	0	0	3	5	7	12	5	10
1923	5	16	9	3	0	5	3	7	7	12	4	8
1924	6	4	5	2	12	7	3	11	1	12	7	11
1925	6	6	9	2	13	3	3	18	2	12	18	1
1926	6	10	11	2	10	8	4	5	4	13	6	10
1927	7	2	7	2	10	7	4	16	9	14	9	8
1928	6	13	1	2	8	9	5	3	9	14	5	3
1929	6	9	8	2	8	2	5	2	11	14	0	5
1930	6	10	4	2	11	2	5	5	9	14	6	11
1931c	4	7	5	3	8	5	5	10	9	13	6	3
1932c	4	7	1	3	18	4	5	0	7	13	5	9
1933c	5	0	4	3	10	5	(a)			(b)		

(a) Not available. (b) Incomplete. (c) Sales Tax included under "Other".

77.—PUBLIC DEBT.—COMMONWEALTH AND STATES (AT 30th JUNE).

State.	Redeemable.			
	Aus- tralia.	Lon- don.	New York.	Total.
1933—	£'000. (Aust.)	£'000. (Stg.)	£'000. (Gold.)	£'000. (a)
AMOUNT.				
States—				
N.S.W.	138,234	162,363	13,471	314,068
Victoria	101,178	63,445	4,615	169,238
Q'land.	43,851	63,271	7,409	114,531
S.A. ..	57,363	43,760	1,779	102,902
W.A. ..	35,745	45,698	2,072	83,515
Tas. ..	9,743	13,620	235	23,598
Total ..	386,114	392,157	29,581	807,852
C'wealth ..	221,274	158,642	16,890	396,806
Total Debt—				
1933 ..	607,388	550,799	46,471	1,204,658
1932 ..	586,220	554,528	47,080	1,187,828
1931 ..	556,900	551,545	47,591	1,156,036
1930 ..	526,968	525,786	47,843	1,100,597
1929 ..	531,745	524,349	47,934	1,104,028
PER HEAD.				
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1933 ..	91 15 3	83 4 4	7 0 5	182 0 0
1932 ..	89 10 3	84 13 5	7 3 9	181 7 5
1931 ..	85 13 5	84 16 11	7 6 5	177 16 9
1930 ..	81 16 10	81 13 2	7 8 7	170 18 7
1929 ..	83 8 8	82 5 6	7 10 5	173 4 7

(a) Total "face" or "book" value of debt, leaving out of account currency changes since the loans were floated.

78.—JOINT STOCK BANKS.—AVERAGE LIABILITIES AND ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

(Exclusive of Commonwealth Bank—see Tables
Nos. 79 and 80.)

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	Average for quarter ended 30th June.		
	1931.	1932.	1933.
	£	£	£
LIABILITIES.			
<i>Australia.</i>			
Notes	198	197	181
Deposits—			
Not bearing interest	82,621	87,830	89,464
Bearing interest ..	195,855	196,195	190,887
Total Deposits ..	278,476	284,025	280,351
Other (Bills, Balances)	4,058	3,531	3,867
Total Liabilities..	282,732	287,753	284,399
ASSETS.			
Coin and Bullion ..	1,979	1,964	1,875
Australian Notes (a)	51,314	47,934	39,536
Land & Other Property	8,347	8,242	8,124
Government and Municipal Securities ..	22,674	44,350	53,454
Notes, Bills, & Balances	6,472	6,825	6,193
Other (Advances, &c.)	263,472	249,125	252,805
Total Assets ..	354,258	358,440	361,987

(a) Includes cash with Commonwealth Bank.

79.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE LIABILITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	30th June—		
	1931.	1932.	1933.
Deposits—	£	£	£
Not Bearing Interest	8,426	8,606	6,336
Bearing Interest ..	14,786	26,610	33,089
Total Deposits ..	23,212	35,216	39,425
Other (Bills, Balances)	32,500	29,569	24,969
Total Liabilities (b)	55,712	64,785	64,394

80.—COMMONWEALTH BANK OF AUSTRALIA— AVERAGE ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA.

,000 OMITTED.

Heading.	30th June—		
	1931.	1932.	1933.
	£	£	£
Coin and Bullion ..	567	918	931
Australian Notes ..	4,136	6,028	5,602
Land & Other Property	683	928	939
Govt. and Municipal Securities (ab) ..	39,978	36,549	47,002
Notes, Bills, & Balances	138	655	99
Other (Advances, &c.)	13,113	11,792	7,109
Total Assets (b) ..	58,615	56,870	61,682

(a) Includes short term loans in Australia.

(b) Government "set-off" accounts, inter-state, deducted.

81.—SAVINGS BANKS DEPOSITS.
(Including Commonwealth Savings Bank.)

State or Territory.	At 30th June.			1933. (a)
	1930.	1931.	1932.	
TOTAL DEPOSITS, £'000.				
New South Wales	82,465	69,811	71,648	72,308
Victoria ..	69,367	63,243	65,680	67,814
Queensland ..	23,901	22,354	22,952	23,453
South Australia	24,012	21,422	21,567	21,955
Western Australia	11,729	10,857	10,218	10,064
Tasmania ..	5,699	5,366	5,586	5,865
Federal Capital Territory ..	288	269	275	225
Northern Territory ..	49	43	40	38
Total ..	217,510	193,375	197,966	201,722

DEPOSITS PER HEAD OF POPULATION.

	£	£	£	£(b)
New South Wales	33.2	27.8	28.3	27.8
Victoria ..	38.9	35.2	36.4	37.3
Queensland ..	25.4	23.3	23.6	24.9
South Australia	41.4	36.7	36.8	37.8
Western Australia	28.0	25.8	24.2	23.0
Tasmania ..	26.4	24.5	25.3	25.5
Federal Capital Territory ..	32.5	31.8	32.8	25.2
Northern Territory ..	10.3	9.3	9.0	8.9
Total ..	33.8	29.7	30.2	30.5

(a) Preliminary figures. (b) Approximate.

82.—LIFE ASSURANCE.—AUSTRALIAN BUSINESS.

Particulars.	1929.	1930.	1931.
No. of Societies	33	30	28
Income £	21,712,508	22,513,379	21,304,795
Outgo £	13,257,316	14,983,414	16,827,738
Policies—			
Ordinary No.	908,807	901,645	871,089
„ Value £	290,313,414	294,267,070	285,164,656
Industrial No.	1,640,989	1,598,877	1,549,877
„ Value £	71,053,864	69,977,444	67,440,828
Premiums Paid (a)—			
Ordinary £	9,513,249	9,780,876	9,424,411
Industrial £	4,170,989	4,259,755	4,081,498
Claims Paid—			
Ordinary £	5,389,720	5,356,945	5,733,128
Industrial £	1,408,735	1,586,080	1,584,875
Assets in Australia £	134,598,978	143,955,763	148,294,743

(a) Assurance and Endowment Premiums.

83.—FRIENDLY SOCIETIES—SUMMARY, 1931.

State.	No. of Branches.	Average Benefit Mem- bers.	Total No. Weeks Sick Pay Granted.	Total Revenue.
				£
N.S.W. ..	2,532	247,215	(a)	1,010,698
Vic. ..	1,469	163,124	373,657	879,325
Q'land ..	603	68,139	119,172	322,990
S.A. ..	740	77,074	172,317	402,430
W.A. ..	349	24,333	43,069	135,517
Tas. ..	195	26,649	57,811	123,262
Total ..	5,888	606,534	6766,026	2,874,222

State.	Sick Pay.	Medical Attendance & Medicine.	Total Expenditure.	Total Funds.
	£	£	£	£'000.
N.S.W. ..	307,979	298,299	916,052	4,019
Vic. ..	228,650	227,045	708,504	5,291
Q'land ..	87,308	102,959	275,855	1,709
S.A. ..	101,824	101,257	322,426	2,410
W.A. ..	29,137	30,053	114,566	517
Tas. ..	34,596	29,752	114,158	431
Total ..	789,494	789,365	2,451,561	14,377

(a) Not available. (b) Incomplete.

84.—ESTIMATE OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF AUSTRALIA AS AT 30th JUNE, 1929.

Classification.	Value.
	£1,000.
Land and Improvements ..	2,251,077
Live Stock	194,045
Agricultural, Dairying, and Pastoral Implements and Machinery ..	56,905
Manufacturing Plant and Machinery ..	117,572
Mining Properties (including Plant and Machinery)	33,474
Coin and Bullion	47,987
Private Railways and Tramways ..	15,525
Shipping	8,004
Agricultural and Pastoral Products ..	108,470
Locally Manufactured Products ..	133,466
Mining Products other than Gold ..	2,688
Imported Merchandise	71,824
Clothing and Personal Adornments ..	31,866
Furniture and Fittings, Books ..	126,785
Motor Vehicles	146,837
Aircraft	139
Wireless Stations	4,799
Total	3,351,463

Private wealth per head, £526.

85—ESTIMATES OF THE PRIVATE WEALTH OF AUSTRALIA, 1915, 1921, 1927, and 1929.

Classification.	Value.			
	1915. (Knibbs.)	1921. (Wickens.)	1927. (Wickens.)	1929. (Wickens.)
	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
Land & Improvements ..	1,105,637	1,361,269	1,998,716	2,251,077
Live Stock	100,391	158,833	196,262	194,045
Coin & Bullion ..	44,379	61,216	48,908	47,987
Merchandise & Produce on Hand	147,948	259,901	327,608	316,448
Household Furniture & Personal Property	91,938	136,069	153,613	158,651
Shipping ..	13,331	7,243	8,375	8,004
Mines & Plant	41,319	34,000	36,945	33,474
Plant, Machinery, etc., n.e.i.	74,574	119,655	175,878	190,002
Motor Vehicles ..	(a)	27,675	112,812	146,837
Aircraft ..	..	..	61	139
Wireless ..	..	..	4,591	4,799
Total ..	1,619,517	2,165,861	3,063,769	3,351,463
Per Head	£327	£397	£497	£526

(a) Included in Household Furniture and Personal Property.

86.—STATE AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS—RETURNS 1931.

State.	Number of Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars Enrolled.	Average Attend- ance.
N.S.W. a {S. P.	3,191 733	13,120 4,708	366,378 92,285	322,816 78,435
Vic. {S. P.	2,747 505	9,382 2,286	243,434 66,671	215,691 56,670
Q'ld. {S. P.	1,724 195	4,299 1,259	144,299 30,644	115,896 26,500
S.A. {S. P.	1 055 179	3,479 886	89,928 13,994	78,620 12,714
W.A. {S. P.	866 128	2,202 553	58,675 11,367	53,630 10,515
Tas. {S. P.	508 65	(b) 1,268 298	33,868 6,327	30,328 4,749
N.T. {S. P.	6 1	12 5	319 99	281 82
Total {S. P.	10,097 1,806	33,762 9,995	936,901 221,387	817,262 189,665

S=State School ; P.=Private School.

(a) Including Federal Capital Territory.

(b) Exclusive of 33 teachers in junior technical schools.

87.—UNIVERSITIES.—TEACHERS AND STUDENTS 1931.

University.	Professors.	Lecturers and Demonstrators.	Students attending Lectures.		
			Matriculated.	Non-matriculated.	Total.
Sydney ..	48	170	2,657	366	3,023
Melbourne ..	34	188	..	..	(a)2,858
Queensland (Brisbane) ..	14	44	663	136	799
Adelaide ..	18	111	1,192	900	(b)2,092
Western Australia (Perth) ..	14	41	724	85	809
Tasmania (Hobart)	9	12	195	54	(c)249

(a) Exclusive of 243 music students. (b) Exclusive of 336 music students. (c) Exclusive of 228 students attending tutorial classes or extension lectures.

88.—TRADE UNIONS—MEMBERSHIP, 1932.

(At end of year.)

(Subject to Revision.)

State.	No. of Members of Unions.	Estimated Number of Em- ployees 20 yrs. of age and over.	Percentage of Members on Esti- mated Number of Employees.
MALES.			
N.S. Wales (a) ..	271,882	531,200	51.2
Victoria ..	159,718	347,750	45.9
Queensland ..	95,515	200,840	47.6
S. Australia ..	47,469	117,630	40.4
W. Australia ..	43,134	92,000	46.9
Tasmania ..	11,841	39,130	30.3
N. Territory ..	741	1,450	51.1
Total ..	630,300	1,330,000	47.4
FEMALES.			
N.S. Wales (a) ..	42,168	118,290	35.6
Victoria ..	36,978	105,560	35.0
Queensland ..	14,535	41,610	34.9
S. Australia ..	6,640	25,460	26.1
W. Australia ..	6,945	17,420	39.9
Tasmania ..	2,849	8,730	32.6
N. Territory ..	28	180	15.6
Total ..	110,143	317,250	34.7

(a) Includes members in Federal Capital Territory.

89.—UNEMPLOYMENT—TRADE UNIONS, AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Unions making Returns.		Unemployed.	
	No.	Member-ship.	No.	Per-centage.
1921 Average.	449	361,744	40,549	11.2
1923 ..	436	376,557	26,672	7.1
1924 ..	413	397,613	35,507	8.9
1925 ..	380	391,380	34,620	8.8
1926 ..	374	415,397	29,326	7.1
1927 ..	375	445,985	31,032	7.0
1928 ..	375	423,422	45,669	10.8
1929 ..	382	424,093	47,359	11.1
1930 ..	395	438,874	84,767	19.3
1931 ..	397	430,004	117,866	27.4
1932 ..	395	415,434	120,454	29.0

90.—EMPLOYERS' ASSOCIATIONS—NUMBER AND MEMBERSHIP, DECEMBER, 1931.

State.	No. of Associations.	No. of Branches.	Member-ship.
New South Wales ..	148	906	55,417
Victoria ..	157	465	37,389
Queensland ..	85	197	18,807
South Australia ..	60	18	7,311
Western Australia ..	67	306	10,969
Tasmania ..	30	7	2,535
Total ..	547	1,899	132,428

91.—CO-OPERATIVE SOCIETIES—YEAR 1931.

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Classification.	N.S.W. (b)	Vic.	Qld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	All States
Producers'—							
Societies	No. 98	63	48	31	2	12	254
Membership	'000 44	40	30	7	1	6	128
Income (a)	£'000 14,083	4,673	4,814	639	40	470	24,719
Expenditure	£'000 11,327	5,180	4,513	660	38	443	22,161
Consumers'—							
Societies	No. 48	30	6	9	5	3	101
Membership	'000 43	13	23	39	1	1	120
Income (a)	£'000 2,500	851	61	922	68	68	4,470
Expenditure (a)	£'000 2,267	790	57	856	64	62	4,096
Societies which are both Producers' and Con- sumers'—							
Societies	No. ..	8	6	3	57	..	74
Membership	'000 ..	3	8	1	17	..	29
Income (a)	£'000 ..	1,000	1,549	106	1,911	..	4,566
Expenditure (a)	£'000 ..	993	1,491	104	1,985	..	4,573

(a) Income includes Sales, and Expenditure includes Purchases.

92.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— CAPITAL CITIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only) with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927, as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1931.	1932.
Sydney ..	548	687	929	867
Melbourne ..	495	616	818	778
Brisbane ..	442	554	743	704
Adelaide ..	524	671	777	736
Perth ..	594	679	852	805
Hobart ..	508	621	846	822
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	520	648	852	803

93.—RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES.

(Food, Groceries, and Housing—4 and 5 rooms only.) Comparative Amounts necessary to purchase in the Capital Cities what would have cost on the average £1 during the period 1923-1927, in the Capitals as a whole.

Capital Cities.	1907.	1914.	1931.	1932.
	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>	<i>s. d.</i>
Sydney ..	11 0	13 9	18 7	17 4
Melbourne ..	9 11	12 4	16 4	15 7
Brisbane ..	8 10	11 1	14 10	14 1
Adelaide ..	10 6	13 5	15 7	14 9
Perth ..	11 11	13 7	17 1	16 1
Hobart ..	10 2	12 5	16 11	16 5
Weighted Aver. Capital Cities	10 5	13 0	17 1	16 1

94.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS— THIRTY TOWNS.

2nd Quarter, 1933.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, and Housing (4 and 5 rooms only) with weighted average cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period 1923-1927, as base (= 1,000).

Towns.	Index No.	Towns.	Index No.
N.S. WALES—		S. AUST.— <i>cont.</i>	
Sydney ..	821	Port Pirie ..	697
Newcastle ..	786	Mt. Gambier	692
Broken Hill ..	790	Peterborough	746
Goulburn ..	795	Weighted Av.	713
Bathurst ..	774		
Weighted Av.	817	W. AUSTRALIA—	
VICTORIA—		Perth and Fre-	
Melbourne ..	735	mantle ..	781
Ballarat ..	690	Kalgoorlie and	
Bendigo ..	691	Boulder ..	889
Geelong ..	726	Northam ..	810
Warrnambool	755	Bunbury ..	788
Weighted Av.	731	Geraldton ..	822
		Weighted Av.	793
QUEENSLAND—		TASMANIA—	
Brisbane ..	692	Hobart ..	787
Toowoomba ..	677	Launceston..	746
Rockhampton	684	Burnie ..	733
Charters T'w'rs	704	Devonport ..	733
Warwick ..	686	Queenstown	815
Weighted Av.	691	Weighted Av.	772
S. AUSTRALIA—			
Adelaide ..	716	WEIGHTED AV.	
Kadina, Moonta		FOR ALL	
and Wallaroo	651	TOWNS ..	763

95.—RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS—CAPITAL CITIES.

Index-numbers showing variation in the Cost of Food, Groceries, Housing (4 and 5 rooms only), Clothing, Fuel and Light and other Miscellaneous Expenditure, with Weighted Average Cost in the Six Capital Cities during the period, 1923-1927, as base (= 1,000).

Capital Cities.	November.		Year.	
	1914.	1920.	1931.	1932.
Sydney ..	712	1,193	922	867
Melbourne ...	671	1,172	846	813
Brisbane ..	611	1,054	798	764
Adelaide ...	699	1,164	837	802
Perth ...	707	1,111	885	840
Hobart ...	687	1,213	875	844
Weighted Average, Capital Cities ..	687	1,166	873	830

96.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1933.

Commodity.			Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
			d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bread ..	2 lb.		5½	3¾	4½	4	3¾	4
Flour, ordinary	25 "		42	32	39	32	30	35¾
" self-raising	2 "		6¼	6	6½	4½	6	5¾
Tea ..	1 "		23½	22¾	22	21¾	23¼	23
Sugar ..	1 "		4	4	4	4	4	4
Rice ..	1 "		3½	3¼	3½	3	3½	3¾
Sago ..	1 "		3	2¾	2¾	2½	3	3½
Jam ..	1½ "		10	8½	9¾	9½	10¼	10¾
Golden Syrup	2 "		7	7	7	6½	8	7¾
Oatmeal ..	1 "		2¾	2½	2¾	2½	3	3½
Raisins ..	1 "		9¾	9¼	10¼	7	9½	9½
Currants ..	1 "		8½	8¼	9	7½	8¾	9
Apricots, dried	1 "		13¼	13½	14½	12	13¼	14¼
Peaches, canned	2 "		11	11	11¾	10½	12	11½
Pears, canned	2 "		11½	11¼	12	10¼	12¼	11¾
Salmon, in tins	1 "		16½	16¾	14½	12½	13½	13¾
Potatoes ..	14 "		17½	11	15¾	12	16	13¾
Onions ..	1 "		1½	¾	1	1	1½	1½
Soap ..	1 "		4½	5	3¾	4	4¼	4¾
Candles ..	1 "		11¼	11¼	10½	10¾	12	11¼
Kerosene ..	1 gal.		21½	22½	18¾	19¼	22¾	27½
Milk, fresh	1 quart		7	5¾	6	6	6¾	5½
Butter ..	1 lb.		15	14½	14¾	15	15½	15
Cheese ..	1 "		11	11	11	8¾	11	10½
Milk, condensed	1-tin		8¾	9¼	9¼	9	9	10¼
Eggs ..	1-doz.		23½	20½	20½	18½	21	22¼

96.—AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES—CAPITAL
CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE,
1933—continued.

Commodity.		Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
		d.	d.	d.	d.	d.	d.
Bacon, rashers	1 lb.	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
Ham, uncooked	1 "	16 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{3}{4}$	16 $\frac{1}{4}$	13 $\frac{3}{4}$	16	14 $\frac{1}{2}$
Beef, Sirloin	1 "	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	8
" Ribs	1 "	6	6	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
Steak, Rump	1 "	12 $\frac{1}{4}$	12	9	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	14 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Stewing	1 "	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	3 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$
Sausages	1 "	5	5	5	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
Beef, Corn Round	1 "	7	6 $\frac{3}{4}$	5 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8
" Brisket							
bone	1 "	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	3 $\frac{1}{2}$	2 $\frac{3}{4}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$	4 $\frac{1}{2}$
Mutton, Legs	1 "	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	5 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Shoulders	1 "	4	3	3	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	4	4
" Loins	1 "	6	5	4 $\frac{3}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	5 $\frac{1}{2}$	5
" Loin							
chops	1 "	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	6	5	7	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
" Leg chops	1 "	6	6	5 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$
Pork, Leg	1 "	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	8	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	9 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Loin	1 "	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{3}{4}$	7 $\frac{3}{4}$	8	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{1}{2}$
" Chops	1 "	9 $\frac{3}{4}$	9	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	8 $\frac{1}{2}$	9	10 $\frac{1}{4}$
" Sausages	1 "	8	8 $\frac{1}{4}$	6	6 $\frac{1}{4}$	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	9

97.—AVERAGE RENTS (4 AND 5 ROOMS ONLY)—CAPITAL CITIES—QUARTER ENDED 30th JUNE, 1933.

City.	4 Rooms.				5 Rooms.				Weighted Average 4 and 5 Rooms.	
	Wood.		Brick.		Wood.		Brick.			
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Sydney ..	16	0	17	6	18	0	21	0	19	0
Melbourne	14	8	15	10	18	11	21	5	17	7
Brisbane	12	9	..	..	16	7	..	..	15	3
Adelaide	..	..	12	9	..	..	18	0	15	3
Perth ..	13	5	16	9	16	6	21	0	17	6
Hobart ..	16	0	17	5	20	7	22	8	18	11

98.—MELBOURNE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX- NUMBERS.

(Computed on Year 1911 as Base = 1,000.)

Group.	Year.			
	1913.	1930.	1931.	1932.
1. Metals and Coal	1,046	1,866	1,826	1,736
2. Leather, Jute, Wool, &c. ..	1,070	1,127	1,039	1,000
3. Agricultural Produce, &c.	1,097	1,484	1,121	1,230
4. Dairy Produce	1,054	1,627	1,399	1,303
5. Groceries ..	1,024	1,666	1,794	1,767
6. Meat ..	1,252	2,025	1,508	1,348
7. Building Ma- terials ..	1,128	1,875	2,025	2,043
8. Chemicals ..	995	1,982	2,166	2,127
All Groups ..	1,088	1,596	1,428	1,411

99.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE FOR A FULL WEEK'S WORK—31st MARCH, 1933.

(The rates specified are in most cases the minimum rates payable under Awards and Industrial Agreements.)

Occupations.	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Bakers {	116a 0	106a 4	92a 0	85 0	88a 4	86 6
	121a 0	115a 6	104a 6	90 0	92a 4	99 0
Blacksmiths	89a 1	83a 3	101a 4	78a 4	88a 4	86a 5
Boilermakers	88a 2	82a 4	97a 8	76a 11	88a 4	85a 6
Bootmakers—						
Males...	83a 10	83a 10	83a 10	83a 10	81a 11	83a 10
Females	42a 11	42a 11	42a 11	42a 11	43a 6	42a 11
Bricklayers	101a 0	99a 0	109a 6	98a 1	96a 4	93a 11
Brassfinishers	80a 1	75a 2	97a 8	69a 9	88a 4	78a 4
	to	to		to		to
	88a 2	82a 4	..	76a 11	..	85a 6
Cabinet Makers	96a 0	85 1	102a 8	80 7	88a 4	86 10
Carpenters	112a 6	88a 8	109a 6	84a 7	97a 1	92a 8
Coachmakers	87 9	81 11	98a 0	76 11	88 4	85 1
Compositors ..	84a 7	84a 7	101a 0	84a 7	84a 7	84a 7
Fitters	88a 2	82a 4	97a 8	77a 4	88a 4	85a 6

See footnotes on next page.

99.—WEEKLY RATES OF WAGE—*continued.*

Occupations.	Sydney.		Melbourne.		Brisbane.		Adelaide.		Perth.		Hobart.	
	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
French Polishers	96a	0	85	1	102a	8	80	7	85a	11	86	10
Jewel- lers {	90a	0	85	0	86a	6	80c	0	93a	0	80	0
	92a	6	..	..	91a	6	88c	0	..	..	85	0
Painters	103a	4	91a	8	109a	6	90a	2	95a	8	82a	0
Pastry- cooks {	94a	0	100	0	102a	0	85	0	89	0	82	0
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	96	6	..	..
Pattern- makers	96a	4	90a	5	103a	0	85a	6	95a	6	93a	7
Plasterers	132a	0	96a	3	109a	6	98a	1	104a	6	90a	3
Plum- bers {	114a	4	97a	2	109a	6	97a	2	97a	10	91a	8
	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	113a	8
Saddlers	82	10	82	10	82	10	82	0	88	4	82	10
Tailors												
Order..	80a	1	80a	1	80a	1	80a	1	88a	0	80a	1
Tailor- esses {	38a	3	38a	3	38a	3	38a	3	45a	6	38a	3
Order	42a	9	42a	9	42a	9	42a	9	54a	2	42a	9
Tin- smiths {	90a	6	77	5	91a	2	79	6	90	6	91a	8
	..	..	85	6	..	..	86	6	99	0	..	..
Wharf La- bourersb	2	3	2	3	2	8	2	3	2	3	2	3

The hours of labour constituting a full week's work are 48, with the following exceptions:—(a) Forty-four hours per week. (b) Rate per hour. (c) 46½ hours per week.

100.—WEEKLY BASIC WAGE—DECLARATIONS OF STATE TRIBUNALS.

State.	Basic Wage.		Date of Operation.	Family Unit for Male Rate.
	Males.	Females.		
N.S.W.	<i>s. d.</i> 68 6 <i>a</i>	<i>s. d.</i> 37 0	1.5.33	Man, wife, 1 child
Vic. ..	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)
Q'land.	74 0	39 0	1.7.31	Man, wife, 3 children
S.A. ..	63 0	31 6	{ <i>M</i> 17.8.31 <i>F</i> 4.12.31	"
W.A. ..	69 3 <i>c</i>	37 5 <i>c</i>		Man, wife, 2 children
Tas. ..	(<i>b</i>)	(<i>b</i>)	..	(<i>b</i>)

(*a*) Plus child allowances. (*b*) Not declared. Federal rate is followed to large extent. (*c*) Metropolitan area.

101.—Weekly Basic Wage Rates (*a*)—Commonwealth Court of Conciliation and Arbitration at 1.8.1933.

		"Harvester" plus Powers' 3s. Equivalent.		After 10 per cent. reduction.	
		<i>s. d.</i>		<i>s. d.</i>	
Sydney ..	..	74 4	..	66 11	
Melbourne ..	..	69 4	..	62 5	
Brisbane ..	..	65 5	..	58 10	
Adelaide ..	..	65 9	..	59 2	
Perth ..	..	65 4	..	58 10	
Hobart ..	..	70 11	..	63 10	
Six Capitals ..	..	70 4	..	63 4	

(*a*) Family unit—man, wife, and three children. Female rate generally 54 per cent. of male rate.

102.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in 1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	31st March, 1931.	31st March, 1932.	31st March, 1933.
N. S. Wales	858	1,882	1,809	1,653
Victoria ..	796	1,798	1,583	1,492
Queensland	901	1,797	1,734	1,718
S. Australia	819	1,668	1,446	1,404
W. Australia	1,052	1,789	1,627	1,582
Tasmania ..	719	1,708	1,541	1,516
Weighted Average	848	1,814	1,680	1,585

103.—NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—INDUSTRIAL GROUPS, AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

Industrial Group.	31st Dec., 1931.	31st March, 1932.	31st March, 1933.
Wood, Furniture, &c. ..	1,669	1,657	1,612
Engineering, Metal Works, &c. ..	1,683	1,677	1,577
Food, Drink, &c. ..	1,727	1,717	1,634
Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c. ..	1,638	1,591	1,498
Books, Printing, &c. ..	1,991	1,949	1,895
Other Manufacturing ..	1,664	1,647	1,551
Building ..	1,926	1,916	1,818
Mining, Quarries, &c. ..	1,999	1,974	1,903
Railway Services, &c. ..	1,690	1,689	1,567
Other Land Transport ..	1,638	1,644	1,511
Shipping, &c. ..	1,596	1,572	1,525
Agriculture, &c. ..	1,566	1,536	1,460
Household, Hotels, &c. ...	1,663	1,659	1,483
Miscellaneous ..	1,637	1,627	1,520
Weighted Average ..	1,694	1,680	1,585

104.—REAL(a) WEEKLY WAGE INDEX- NUMBERS, ADULT MALES.

(Weighted average weekly wage for Australia in
1911 (51s. 3d.) = 1,000.)

State.	1901.	1930.	1931.	1932.
New South Wales	961	1,107	1,160	1,150
Victoria ..	915	1,158	1,162	1,126
Queensland ..	1,172	1,317	1,345	1,376
South Australia	948	1,166	1,178	1,133
Western Australia	1,024	1,229	1,232	1,212
Tasmania ..	827	1,111	1,104	1,067
Weighted Average	964	1,152	1,185	1,168

(a) Nominal wage index-numbers corrected by
application of retail price index-numbers.

105.—REAL(a) WAGE INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

Year.	Nomi- nal Wage Index No.	Per- centage Unem- ployed.	Retail price Index No.	Real Wage Index-numbers.	
				Full Work.	Allow- ing for Lost Time.
1901	848	6.6	880	964	945
1906	866	6.7	902	960	940
1911	1,000	4.7	1,000	1,000	1,000
1913	1,076	5.3	1,104	975	970
1914	1,081	8.3	1,140	948	912
1915	1,092	9.3	1,278	854	813
1916	1,144	5.8	1,324	864	854
1917	1,226	7.1	1,318	930	907
1918	1,270	5.8	1,362	932	921
1919	1,370	6.6	1,510	907	889
1920	1,627	6.5	1,785	911	894
1921	1,826	11.2	1,697	1,076	1,002
1922	1,801	9.3	1,600	1,126	1,072
1923	1,805	7.1	1,700	1,062	1,035
1924	1,840	8.9	1,681	1,095	1,046
1925	1,861	8.8	1,722	1,081	1,034
1926	1,914	7.1	1,786	1,072	1,045
1927	1,946	7.0	1,766	1,102	1,075
1928	1,963	10.8	1,760	1,115	1,044
1929	1,972	11.1	1,822	1,082	1,009
1930	1,939	19.3	1,683	1,152	976
1931	1,752	27.4	1,479	1,185	903
1932	1,639	29.0	1,403	1,168	870

(a) Nominal wages corrected by application of retail price index-numbers.

NOTE.—For years prior to 1914, the nominal wage index-numbers and the percentage unemployed relate to the end of the year only; but from 1914 onward these figures, in addition to those for retail prices, are averages for the whole year.

105.—REAL WAGE INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

106.—WEEKLY HOURS INDEX-NUMBERS, ADULT MALES—AUSTRALIA.

(Weighted Average Hours for Australia at 30th April, 1914 (48.93) = 1,000.)

State.	30th April, 1914.	31st Dec., 1930.	31st Dec., 1931.	31st Dec., 1932.
New South Wales	1,010	933	904	903
Victoria ..	997	958	958	958
Queensland ..	997	908	919	919
South Australia	993	957	957	957
Western Australia	976	931	931	930
Tasmania ..	994	962	956	955
Weighted Average	1,000	940	930	930

NOTE.—For years prior to 1914, the nominal wage index-numbers and the percentage unemployed relate to the end of the year only; but from 1914 onward these figures, in addition to those for retail prices, are averages for the whole year.

107.—INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES—STATES AND AUSTRALIA.

State.	No. of Dis- putes.	Work- people In- volved.	Work- ing Days Lost.	Esti- mated Loss in Wages.	
1932. £					
N.S. Wales ..	92	19,969	63,425	64,420	
Victoria ..	12	6,585	99,638	65,599	
Queensland ..	10	2,217	21,166	18,541	
S. Australia ..	2	113	970	664	
W. Australia ..	8	2,693	11,203	9,538	
Tasmania ..	2	1,163	15,562	6,516	
N. Territory ..	1	177	354	304	
F.C. Territory ..	..	..	..	..
Australia	1932	127	32,917	212,318	165,582
	1931	134	37,667	245,991	227,731
	1930	183	54,222	1,511,241	1,592,342
	1929	259	104,604	4,461,478	4,569,305
	1928	287	96,422	777,278	775,359
	1927	441	200,757	1,713,581	1,676,696
	1926	360	113,034	1,310,261	1,415,813
	1925	499	176,746	1,128,570	1,107,544
	1924	504	152,446	918,646	917,699
	1923	274	76,321	1,145,977	1,275,506
	1922	445	116,332	858,685	751,507
	1921	624	165,101	1,286,185	970,475
	1920	554	155,566	3,587,267	2,370,387
	1919	460	157,591	4,303,738	2,618,828
	1918	298	56,439	539,593	345,134
	1917	444	173,970	4,689,316	2,641,735

108.—NAVAL AND MILITARY FORCES— AUSTRALIA.

Naval Forces (15th February, 1933).

Description of Force.	Numbers Borne.		
	In Training.	Officers.	Men.
Royal Australian Navy (Sea-going) ..	..	339	2,783
Royal Australian Naval Auxiliary Forces ..	..	29	140
Cadet Midshipmen undergoing training at R.A.N. College ..	36	..	..
Royal Australian Naval Reserve (Sea-going) ..	..	46	..
Royal Australian Fleet Reserve ..	..	..	225
Royal Australian Naval Reserve ..	..	240	4,313
Royal Australian Naval Volunteer Reserve ..	..	40	..
Total ..	36	694	7,461

Military Forces (31st March, 1933).

Branch of Service.	Total.
Permanent Forces ..	1,540
Militia Forces ..	26,423
Engineer and Railway Staff Corps ..	54
Unattached List of Officers ..	360
Reserve of Officers ..	5,922
Chaplains ..	267
Grand Total ..	34,566

109.—CONSUMPTION OF SPIRITS, BEER, AND TOBACCO—AUSTRALIA.

Items.	1930-31.	1931-32.
Spirits—		
Total consumed .. gals.	1,143,943	1,111,636
Consumption per head ..	0.177	0.170
Estimated cost (a) £	4,404,190	4,279,799
Cost per head (a) .. £	0 13 7	0 13 1
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	2,410,515	2,438,830
Beer—		
Total consumed .. gals.	52,582,705	47,764,508
Consumption per head ..	8.12	7.32
Estimated cost (a) £	10,516,541	9,552,902
Cost per head (a) .. £	1 12 5	1 9 3
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	5,256,008	4,784,770
Tobacco (all kinds)—		
Total consumed .. lb.	18,358,523	17,877,551
Consumption per head ..	2.834	2.740
Estimated cost (a) £	9,985,099	10,275,860
Cost per head (a) .. £	1 10 10	1 11 6
Duty and Excise paid(b) £	6,733,519	7,209,329

(a) The "cost" is reckoned at the wholesale prices of spirits, beer and unmanufactured tobacco, including all duties of customs and excise, which amount to rather more than half of the total "cost", as shown in the table, for spirits, beer and tobacco together. (b) Gross collections.

NOTE.—The consumption of wine is estimated to be about half a gallon per head per annum, but is probably understated.

110.—CONSUMPTION OF PRINCIPAL COMMODITIES IN AUSTRALIA.

Average Annual Consumption per Head of Population.

Commodity.	1904 to 1913.	1914-15 to 1920-21.	1921-22 to 1925-26.	1926-27 to 1928-29.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Wheat ..	320	376	378	379
Flour ..	210	220	211	205
Oats ..	101	73	75	57
Rice ..	11	6½	7	8
Barley ..	28	31	29	34
Maize ..	125	92	95	82
Potatoes ..	(a)	126	121	118
Sugar ..	121	117	118	124
Jam ..	17	14	11	13
Beef ..	121	110	132	118
Mutton and Lamb ..	83	69	66	73
Bacon and Ham	9	10	11	12
Fish, Preserved	4¾	3	4	4
Butter ..	21	25	28	30
Cheese ..	3½	3½	4	4
Condensed Milk	4½	6¼	6	(b)
Tea ..	7¼	8	8	8
Coffee ..	½	½	½	½
Tobacco ..	2⅔	3	4	3½
	gal.	gal.	gal.	gal.
Kerosene ..	4½	4	4½	6
Motor Spirit ..	2	4	13	31

In regard to agricultural products, the figures quoted are in all cases exclusive of the quantities (if any) used for seed purposes, but include amounts used for all other purposes. (a) The estimate for potatoes for this period is dubious. (b) Not available.

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA.

- 1770—Captain Cook's first voyage to Australia.
- 1788—"First Fleet" arrives Botany Bay. Settlement at Sydney.
- 1796—Coal discovered, Newcastle.
- 1797—Merino Sheep introduced from Cape.
- 1798—Bass and Flinders prove Tasmania an island.
- 1802—Murray discovered Port Phillip.
- 1803—Capt. Macarthur takes first wool to England.
Settlement at Risdon, Tasmania.
- 1804—Settlement at Hobart.
- 1810—First Post Office, Sydney.
- 1814—Creation of Civil Courts, New South Wales.
Australia receives present name.
- 1817—First Bank, New South Wales.
- 1823—First Australian Constitution. Gold discovered, Fish River, New South Wales.
- 1824—N.S.W. a Crown Colony.
- 1825—Tasmania an independent Colony.
- 1826—Military Settlement at King George's Sound.
- 1829—Foundation of Perth, W.A.
- 1831—First assisted immigration, New South Wales.
- 1834—South Australia a separate Colony.
- 1835—Batman selects site of Melbourne.
- 1836—Settlement at Adelaide.
- 1839—Strzelecki discovered gold, New South Wales.
- 1841—New Zealand separated from New South Wales.
- 1842—Representative Government, N.S.W. Copper discovered, Kapunda, South Australia.
- 1850—Representative Govt., Vic., S.A., and Tas.
- 1851—Victoria a separate Colony. Gold discovered.
- 1854—Goldfields Riots, Ballarat. Eureka Stockade.
- 1857—Manhood Suffrage, Victoria.
- 1858—Manhood Suffrage, New South Wales.
- 1859—Queensland a separate Colony.
- 1860—Copper discovered, Wallaroo and Moonta, S.A.
- 1867—Prot. Tariff, Vic. Gold disc., Gympie, Qld.
- 1871—Tin discovered, Mt. Bischoff, Tasmania.

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1872—Cable from Java to Darwin.
- 1878—Telephone introduced into Australia.
- 1881—First Australian Census. Population, 2,250,194.
- 1883—Silver discovered, Broken Hill.
- 1886—Gold and Copper discovered, Mt. Lyell, Tas.
- 1890—Responsible Government, W.A.
- 1892—Gold discovered, Coolgardie, W.A.
- 1893—Financial Crisis.
- 1894—Adult Suffrage, South Australia.
- 1895—Free-trade Tariff; Land and Income Taxes, N.S.W.
- 1898—Federal Constitution Bill, N.S.W., Vic., S.A., and Tas. Rejected, N.S.W.
- 1899—South African War. Australian Contingents. Federal Constitution Bill accepted.
- 1900—Old-age Pensions, New South Wales.
- 1901—Commonwealth proclaimed, Sydney. Federal Parliament opened, Melb., by Duke of York. Population, 3,773,801.
- 1902—First Federal Tariff.
- 1903—Inauguration of Federal High Court.
- 1906—Wireless telegraph, Vic. and Tas. Papua taken over by Commonwealth.
- 1907—Imperial Conference, London. New Customs Tariff; preference to U.K. Telephone trunk line between Sydney and Melbourne.
- 1908—Yass-Canberra site chosen for Federal Capital. Visit of U.S. Fleet.
- 1909—Imperial Defence Conference, London.
- 1910—Penny postage. *Yarra* and *Parramatta* arrive. Australian Notes issued.
- 1911—First Commonwealth Census. Northern Territory transferred to Commonwealth. Compulsory Military Training.

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1912—Commonwealth Bank opened. First Payments Maternity Bonus. First sod turned Port Augusta-Kalgoorlie Railway line.
- 1913—H.M.A.Ss. *Australia*, *Sydney*, and *Melbourne* arrive. Foundation stone laid, Canberra.
- 1914—European War. Australian Forces embark. *Sydney* destroyed *Emden*. Double dissolution of Parliament.
- 1915—Broken Hill Pty.'s Iron Works Newcastle. Landing, Gallipoli, 25th April. War Census.
- 1916—Aus. troops transferred to France. Purchase of line of steamers by C'wlth. Compulsory Military Service Referendum defeated.
- 1917—Transcontinental Railway completed. Military Service (Reinforcements) Referendum defeated.
- 1918—Population of Australia reached 5,000,000. Cruiser *Adelaide* launched at Sydney.
- 1919—Peace signed, 28th June. Sir Ross Smith and Sir Keith Smith completed first aeroplane flight from London.
- 1920—Visit of Prince of Wales.
- 1921—Second Commonwealth Census.
- 1922—Economic Conference at Sydney. First lock on River Murray opened at Blanchetown, South Australia.
- 1923—First sod, site of Parliament House, Canberra, turned. Pan-Pacific Science Congress, Melbourne.
- 1924—H.M.A.S. *Australia* sunk (under provisions of Washington Treaty). Visit of British Cruiser Squadron. First sale of land leases at Canberra.

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

- 1925—Visit of American Fleet. Commonwealth Solar Observatory established. Brisbane-Kyogle railway commenced. Bridge over Sydney Harbour commenced.
- 1926—Population of Australia reached 6,000,000. Referendum: Industry and Commerce; Widening State Powers; proposals rejected. North-West Australia Commission established. Visit to Imperial Conference of Right Hon. S. M. Bruce, Prime Minister.
- 1927—Beam Wireless established. Visit of T.R.H. the Duke and Duchess of York, and opening of Commonwealth Parliament at Canberra; transfer of Departments to Canberra begun. Sydney Mint closed.
- 1928—Sale of Commonwealth Steamship Line. Visit of the British Economic Mission to report on the development of Australian resources. Empire Forestry Conference held in Australia. Financial agreement between Commonwealth and States adopted by referendum; State debts taken over by Commonwealth; Loan Council formally constituted.
- 1929—Arrival of H.M.A.S. *Canberra*. Disastrous floods in Tasmania. Timber Workers' Strike and Northern Coalfields Lock-out. Perth centenary celebrations. Defeat of Bruce-Page Government. Right Hon. J. H. Scullin, Labour Prime Minister. Abolition of compulsory military training in favour of voluntary system.

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

1930—Wireless phone service with other countries inaugurated. Commonwealth Sales tax and primage duty on imports introduced. Prohibition of the importation into Australia of 78 items of goods. Visit to Imperial Conference of Right Hon. J. H. Scullin, Prime Minister. Visit of Sir Otto Niemeyer to Australia to discuss financial questions. First Australian—Right Hon. Sir Isaac Alfred Isaacs, Chief Justice of the High Court—appointed Governor-General. Telephone trunk line established between Adelaide and Perth.

1931—Sterling exchange at 130 from January to December; thence at 125. Reduction of 10 per cent. in wage rates by Commonwealth Arbitration Court, in addition to the "automatic" adjustments to falling prices. Record wheat harvest (1930-31) of 213 million bushels. First experimental air mail from England to Australia and return. Initiation of Premiers' Conference plan to meet the financial situation, i.e., by—(a) reduction of 20 per cent. in all adjustable Government expenditure, (b) conversion of internal debts of Governments on the basis of a $22\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. reduction of interest (of the total of £558 millions over 97 per cent. converted voluntarily), (c) additional taxation, (d) reduction of bank and Savings Bank interest rates, and (e) relief in respect of private mortgages. New reciprocal trade treaty with Canada. Bounty on wheat. Death of Sir John Monash. Defeat of Scullin Government. Right Hon. J. A. Lyons, Prime Minister

III.—CHRONOLOGICAL TABLE—AUSTRALIA— *continued.*

1932—Sydney Harbour Bridge opened. Defeat of Governments in New South Wales and Victoria opposed to "Premiers' Plan". Subsequent Conferences of Premiers gave unqualified support to the "Plan". Imperial Economic Conference at Ottawa in July; Australia represented by Rt. Hon. S. M. Bruce and Sir Henry S. Gullett. Rt. Hon. S. M. Bruce Resident Minister in London, superseding High Commissioner. Australian Broadcasting Commission established. Shipping of Gold to the United Kingdom. Sugar Agreement modified. Strike in Textile Industry.

1933—Third Commonwealth Census. Imperial Air-mail "Astraea" arrived. World Economic Conference in London. Secession Referendum (Western Australia). Referendum for reduction and limitation of number of members of the Legislative Council (N.S.W.). Elections in South Australia and Western Australia. New Guinea Legislative Council opened. Disarmament Conference in London.

1934.

	JANUARY.	FEBRUARY.	MARCH.
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Mon.	1 8 15 22 29	.. 5 12 19 26	.. 5 12 19 26 ..
Tues.	2 9 16 23 30	.. 6 13 20 27	.. 6 13 20 27 ..
Wed.	3 10 17 24 31	.. 7 14 21 28	.. 7 14 21 28 ..
Thu.	4 11 18 25 ..	1 8 15 22 ..	1 8 15 22 29 ..
Fri.	5 12 19 26 ..	2 9 16 23 ..	2 9 16 23 30 ..
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	APRIL.	MAY.	JUNE.
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Thu.	5 12 19 26 ..	2 9 16 23 30	.. 6 13 20 27 ..
Fri.	6 13 20 27 ..	3 10 17 24 31	.. 7 14 21 28 ..
Sat.	7 14 21 28 ..	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29 ..
	OCTOBER.	NOVEMBER.	DECEMBER.
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Tues.	2 9 16 23 30	.. 6 13 20 27	.. 4 11 18 25 ..
Wed.	3 10 17 24 31	.. 7 14 21 28	.. 5 12 19 26 ..
Thu.	4 11 18 25 ..	1 8 15 22 29	.. 6 13 20 27 ..
Fri.	5 12 19 26 ..	2 9 16 23 30	.. 7 14 21 28 ..
Sat.	6 13 20 27 ..	3 10 17 24 ..	1 8 15 22 29 ..

PRINCIPAL POSTAGE RATES.

Within 'the Commonwealth and to Lord Howe Island, Norfolk Island, Papua, the Territory of New Guinea [including Bismarck Archipelago (New Britain, New Ireland, New Hanover, Admiralty Island, &c.), Bougainville, and Buka (Solomon Islands)] and Nauru.

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